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His devoted mother.

BIRTHS.

ARPS—September 23, 1927, at Dutch Mission Hospital, Bandoeng, Java, to Bernard and Kitty Arps (née Hill), a son. (By cable.)

HORNE—September 19, 1927, at 94 Merrion square, Dublin, to Dr. and Mrs. Andrew Horne, twin daughters.

HOWARD—September 8, 1927, at Detroit, U.S.A., the wife of A. M. Howard, of a daughter.

JAMIESON—September 18, 1927, to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jamieson, 43 St. Stephen's Green, E., a daughter.

POLSON—September 21, 1927, at 29 Upper Mount street, Dublin, to Mr. and Mrs. George C. Polson, 38 Lower Beechwood avenue, Ranelagh, a daughter.

ROOKE—September 24, 1927, to Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Rooke, of Innisfallen, Sunbury-on-Thames, a daughter.

SANDERSON—September 23, 1927, at 14 Effra road, Rathmines, to Florrie (née Sutton), wife of T. Sandersen, a son (stillborn).

MARRIAGES.

O'DONNELL and KEATING—September 15, 1927, at St. Patrick's Church, Monkstown, County Dublin, with Nuptial Mass, by Rev. John Dunlea, C.C., M.Sc., James Joseph O'Donnell, National Bank, Derry, third son of late Mr. James O'Donnell and Mrs. O'Donnell, 57 Brighton road, Rathgar, to Ellen (Daisy), third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Keating, Egremont, The Hill, Monkstown. No cards.

TAYLOR and COLLINS—September 19, 1927, by special licence, at St. Peter's Church, by the Rev. J. Tobias, Walter James, only son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Collins, 40 James's street, Dublin, to Alice Kathleen, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Taylor, 25 George's street, Dublin. American papers please copy.

SILVER WEDDING.

HALL and CLARKE—September 25, 1902, at St. Martin's-in-the-Fields, London, by the Rev. J. T. Thompson, Joseph, eldest son of the late Charles and Mrs. Hall, Cornadrung, County Longford, to Janet, youngest daughter of the late Henry and Mrs. Clarke, Drumbanagher, County Armagh.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.

CHIDLEY—September 15, 1927, at Bellingew, New South Wales, Edward William Chidley, M.A., T.C.D., Solicitor.

CLARKE—September 25, 1927, at North Mall, Westport, after a long and painful illness, borne with Christian fortitude, Alice Maud, dearly-beloved wife of George C. Clarke, mother of Mrs. Lazenby, Chapelizod, and of George C. and John Stewart Clarke, Sydney. Funeral at 2 p.m. to-morrow (Tuesday), 27th September, to Westport Cemetery.

COLLIER—At his residence, Kilbride, Tullow, County Carlow, Robert, beloved husband of Mary Collier, and father of Collier Bros., Newtownbarry. "Thy will be done." Funeral to Kildavin to-day (Monday), 26th inst., at 2.30 p.m. (old time). Canadian papers please copy.

FOLEY—September 25, 1927, Rev. John S. Foley, C.S.Sp., Blackrock College. R.I.P. Office and Solemn Requiem Mass at 11 a.m. to-morrow (Tuesday), September 27th, at Blackrock College. Funeral to Dean's Grange immediately afterwards.

HILLIS—September 25, 1927, at his residence, 79 Donore avenue, S.C.R., John Hillis, late of Kennan and Son. Deeply regretted by his loving sons and daughters. "Thy will be done." Service at St. Victor's Church 9.30 to-morrow (Tuesday) morning. Funeral to Mount Jerome at 10 o'clock. Canadian papers please copy.

KEALY—September 24, 1927, at the Home for the Aged, St. Patrick's, Kilmainham, Dublin, Peter Kealy, late of Dunlavin, County Wicklow. Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on his soul. Funeral leaves above Institution at 9.30 a.m. to-morrow (Tuesday), 27th inst.

KENNEDY—September 18, 1927, suddenly, at a Nursing Home, Elizabeth Gertrude, daughter of the late F. G. Kennedy, of Limerick, and of Mrs. Kennedy, 21 Clifton Gardens, Folkestone.

LOCH—September 11, 1927, at Framingham, Massachusetts, U.S.A., suddenly, James Foulis, second son of the late James Loch, County Inspector, Royal Irish Constabulary.

McASEY—September 24, 1927, at her residence, 9 Longford terrace, Monkstown, Abigail, widow of the late John McAsey. R.I.P. Funeral private. No flowers.

MORAN—September 24, 1927, at his residence, Baymount, Clontarf, Michael J. Moran. R.I.P. Funeral (strictly private), after 10 o'clock Mass at St. John's, Clontarf. No flowers.

MURNANE—At her residence, Portroe, Mary Anne Murnane, widow of the late John Murnane. High Mass to-morrow (Tuesday), September 27th, at 11.30 a.m. Funeral to Castletown at 1.30.

MURPHY—September 25, 1927, at the Dominican Convent, Dun Laoghaire, Anne (in religion Sister Mary Thomas), daughter of the late John Murphy, Montreux Lodge, Blackrock. R.I.P. Office and High Mass to-morrow (Tuesday), 27th inst., at 11 o'clock a.m.

O'BRIEN—At his residence, Cloughero, Kilmacrenan, County Donegal, Thomas O'Brien. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and family. "Peace, perfect peace." Interment took place at family burying ground, Kilmacrenan, on 22nd inst. American and New Zealand papers please copy.

O'DONNELL—September 24, 1927, at Meath Hospital, result of accident, John, second eldest dearly-beloved son of Jessie and the late John O'Donnell, aged 15 years, Clayton Cottage, S.C. road. "Thy will be done." Funeral arrangements later.

WALKER—September 25, 1927, at Our Lady's Hospice for the Dying, Harold's Cross, George Frazer Walker, of 41 Killeen road, Rathmines, Dublin. R.I.P. Funeral, after 10 o'clock Mass at Church of the Holy Name, Beechwood avenue, to Kill-o'-the-Grange. No flowers.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

James A. Ross, Millmount, Dundrum, desires to express, on behalf of himself and his two boys, their heartfelt thanks to all their friends for the kindness and loving sympathy shown to them in their recent great loss, and trust that they will accept this acknowledgment, as he feels unable to reply individually.

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"That James J. Fitzpatrick and Co., Ltd., be wound up voluntarily, and that Eugene O'Connell, Esq., F.C.A., be, and he is hereby, appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."
Dated this 13th day of September, 1927.
(Signed) JAMES J. FITZPATRICK, Chairman.
D. J. BERGIN, Solicitor, 7 Suffolk street, Dublin.

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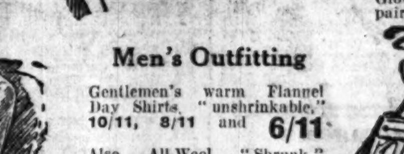

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BLACK Minorca Cockerels, Hunter's strain, 7/6 each. Canon Long, Ballytore, Co. Kildare. 23 C

BARNEVELDER Cockerels (Cook's strain), 10/- free; Barred Rock Cockerels, 7/6.—Mrs. Thomas, Tournant, Dunlavin

BEST fatted Michaelmas Geese, 6/- each; roasting Chickens and Ducks, 6/6 pair; boiling Fowls, 5/- pair, fresh killed, ready for cooking, post paid.—M. Walford, Eharig Poultry Farm, Rosscarbery, Cork.

BEAUTIFUL house fatted Michaelmas Geese, 7/- each; large roasting Chickens, 5/- pair, trussed, post free.—Miss Jones, Poulterer, Rosscarbery.

COCKERELS, Hens, Light Sussex, Rhodes, Black Leghorns for Sale; same gave excellent results Rosslare.—Mostlands, Navan. 23 D

DUCKS—5 White Runners, 25/-; 15 Wyandotte Hens, £3 12/-; 10 Anconas and Cock, £3 3/-; 1927 stock Cockerels, 10/6.—Fairy Hill, Blackrock. Telephone 138.

FATTED roasting Chickens and Ducklings, 6/-, 7/- pair; tender Boilers, 6/- pair; Michaelmas Geese, 6/6 each, trussed, post paid.—A. Bell, The Glebe, Rosscarbery, Cork.

JERSEY Black giant Cockerels, finest American stock; price moderate.—Rev. MacLurg, Sligo. 20 A

LARGE Roasting Fowls and Ducks, 6/- pair; Boilers, 5/6; Fat Geese, 7/- each.—Mrs. Daly, Rosscarbery, Cork. 8-24

MRS. Finneran, Mostlands, Navan—Rhode, Light Sussex, Black Leghorn Hens and Cockerels for Sale; excellent result. A

MICHAELMAS—Largest and best Geese, 6/6 each; excellent roasting Fowls and Ducks, 6/- pair, trussed, post paid.—A. Harris, Rock House, Rosscarbery, Cork.

PORTABLE Fowl House (Luro Murdock), five trap nests, movable partitions, shutter, etc., for Sale. Seen 16 Lower Fitzwilliam street, Monday, 2.30 to 5. 23 A

PULLETS, Crossbred, 4/6; Pure White Wyandottes and Faverolles (1926), 5/-; Pure Indian Runner Ducks and Drakes, 298 egg strain, 6/-.—Gilmore, Kilquade, Greystones. 16 X

SALE, six heavy Rhode Cockerels, table.—Bellevue Lodge, off Merrion road, Dublin.

SPLENDID Geese, specially fattened for Michaelmas, 6/9 and 7/6 each; best roasting Fowls, 5/6 pair, fit for table, post paid.—Miss Conby, Steeple View, Rosscarbery.

WHITE Runners, April hatched, imported England, show and utility combined, 8/-.—Captain Hamilton, Foxrock. 21 A

WANTED, Pullets, Leghorn or Wyandotte, best lay ing strain.—K 1707, this office. 22 B

WHITE Wyandotte Cockerels, hatched from first pen Malahide Poultry Farm, whose birds hold world's laying record, £2 2/- each; others, Mrs. Strong's, 10/6 each; all February hatched; lovely birds.—Lagore, Ratoath. 23 C

WANTED, 6 pure bred W. Leghorns, March or April; state price.—L. W., Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

3 PURE bred Aylesbury Drakes for Sale, May hatched. Smith, Ballybugan, Carbury, Co. Kildare. 23 A

100 MARCH and April Pullets, beautiful birds; cheap.—Mulley, 203 South Circular road. 21 A

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NEW JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

Dr. M. J. Nolan, Resident Medical Superintendent, Downpatrick Mental Hospital, has been appointed to the Commission of the Peace for the County Down. He is brother of Mr. W. M. Nolan, Town Clerk, Limerick.

BROADCASTING.

TO-DAY.

DUBLIN (2RN)—319.1 Metres.

1.30-2.0 p.m.—Weather Forecast and Gramophone Records. 6.30—Uair i dTir na n-Og. Rosalind Cohen, May Pitchford, Eileen Crowe. 7.0—Gramophone Records. 7.30—Gaedhilg, Mairead Ní Ghráda, M.A. 7.45—Talk, "Gardening," G. O. Sherrard. 8.0—H. R. White presents a programme of his composition. (1) Ballad for String Quartet. Violin 1, Terry O'Connor; violin 2, Rosalind Dowse; viola, Maud Davin; 'cello, Viola O'Connor. (2) Terry O'Connor (contralto), "John Jo," "Fairy Ways." (3) Viola O'Connor ('cello), "Chanson de Nuit." (4) Station Orchestra—Occasional Suite, (a) "Chocolate Drops," (b) "A Gipsy Nut," (c) "Tom Smith." (5) Gramophone Records—"Macushla," sung by John McCormack; quartet, "The Shepherdess," Gresham Singers; (6) Station Orchestra—Valse, "The Midnight Sun." 8.40—Kathleen Roddy (soprano)—"Die Lorlei" (Liszt), "Devotion" (Schumann), "The Last Rose of Summer" (Moore), "Taim-se im' chodhladh" (traditional). 8.55—Station Celeste Orchestra. 9.5—Donnchadh MacCoiligh, Amhrain Ghaedhealacha. 9.20—Mary O'Hea and Company—Scenes from "Two Gentlemen of Verona" (Shakespeare). Julia, Mary O'Hea; Silvia, Louisa Griffen; Lucetta, E. Jackson Jones; Duke of Milan, Dr. Mason; Valentine, V. Harris; Proteus, J. A. Hand; Antonio, P. Keating; "Serenade" Elizabeth Hanna. 9.50—Station Orchestra—Mountain Music, Mountaineers' Dance (Borch Lafleur). 10.0—Ceilidh Trio. 10.30—Weather Forecast.

LONDON (2LO)—361.4 Metres (830 Kc.) and DAVENTRY (5XX)—1,604.3 Metres (187 Kc.).

10.30 a.m. (Daventry only)—Time Signal, Greenwich; Weather Forecast. 11.0 (Daventry only)—The Daventry Quartet and Rita Osborn (soprano). 12.0—The Daventry Quartet and Frederick Steger (tenor), Anna Marsh (pianoforte). 1.0-2.0—Organ Recital by Edgar T. Cook, relayed from Southwark Cathedral. 2.30—"Boys and Girls of the Middle Ages—The Training of a Squire," by Rhoda Power. 3.0—Great Stories, by Mr. J. C. Stobart and Miss Mary Somerville. 3.15—Thé Dansant; The London Radio Dance Band, directed by Sidney Firman; the Royal Automobile Club Dance Band, from the Royal Automobile Club. 5.0—Household Talk; "Coming Fashions," by Miss E. V. Rose. 5.15—The Children's Hour: Piano Solos by Cecil Dixon. Songs by Julian Livingston. "The Story of the First Rabbit" (F.G.G.). "Keeping Fit"—how to get the best out of Life, by George Nicol. 6.0—Organ Recital by Pattman, from the Astoria Cinema. 6.20—Girls' Clubs Bulletin. 6.30—Time Signal, Greenwich; Weather Forecast, First General News Bulletin. 6.45—Organ from the Astoria Cinema (continued). 7.0—Mr. Desmond MacCarthy: "Literary Criticism." 7.15—The Foundations of Music. Organ Recital by Edgar T. Cook, relayed from Southwark Cathedral. 7.25—M. Stephan: "French Talk." 7.45—S.B. from Manchester. 9.0—Weather Forecast, Second General News Bulletin. 9.15—Sir James Parr, K.C.M.G., High Commissioner for New Zealand: "New Zealand Day." 9.23—Topical Talk. 9.30—Local Announcements (Daventry only), Shipping Forecast. 9.35—English Chamber Music. The English Singers: Flora Mann, Nellie Carson, Lilian Berger, Norman Stone, Norman Notley, Cuthbert Kelley. The International String Quartet: Andre Mangeot and Boris Pecker (violins), Frank Howard (violin), Herbert Withers ('cello). 9.50—The English Singers. 10.0—The Quartet. 10.15—The English Singers. 10.25-11.0—The Quartet. 11.0-12.0 (Daventry only)—Alfredo's Original Band and Hal Swain and his New Prince's Orchestra, from the New Prince's Restaurant.

DAVENTRY EXPERIMENTAL (5GB)—491.8 Metres.

610 Kc.

3.0—Paul Moulder's Rivoli Theatre Orchestra, from the Rivoli Theatre. 4.0—A Military Band Programme, from Birmingham; The City of Birmingham Police Band, conducted by Richard Wassell; Frank Lester (baritone), Margaret Attewell (violin), Cornet Solo (P. C. Cook). 5.45—The Children's Hour (from Birmingham). 6.30—Time Signal, Greenwich Time, Weather Forecast, First General News Bulletin. 6.45—Light Music: Andrew Brown's Octet; Charles True (baritone). 7.5—Charles True. 7.15—Octet. 7.30—Charles True. 7.40—Octet. 8.0—A Charles Dickens Concert (from Birmingham): The Birmingham Studio Orchestra, conducted by Joseph Lewis; Harold Howes (baritone); "Bardell v. Pickwick" (adapted from the "Pickwick Papers"). 9.0 app.—Ella Shields. 9.15—Music, Song, Play (from Birmingham); Harold Howes; "Courtship, Ancient and Modern," a Duologue, by Fanny Morris-Wood. 10.0—Weather Forecast, Second General News Bulletin. 10.15—Dance Music: The London Radio Dance Band, directed by Sidney Firman. 10.45-11.15—Alfredo's Original Band and Hal Swain and his New Prince's Orchestra, from the New Prince's Restaurant.

BOURNEMOUTH (6BM)—326.1 Metres.

920 Kc.

12.0-1.0—Gramophone Records. 2.30—London Programme, relayed from Daventry. 5.0—W. Mudford: "The Art of Fencing." 5.15—The Children's Hour. 6.0—London Programme, relayed from Daventry. 6.30—S.B. from London. 7.45—S.B. from Manchester. 9.0-11.0—S.B. from London (9.30, Local Announcements).

CARDIFF (5WA)—353 Metres.

850 Kc.

12.0-1.0—London Programme, relayed from Daventry. 2.30—Broadcast to Schools. 3.0—The Station Orchestra, conducted by Warwick Braithwaite; Violet Cockburn (soprano). 4.45—Mr. F. J. Harries: Ben Jonson's "For the Honour of Wales." 5.15—The Children's Hour: The Orchestra. 6.0—London Programme, relayed from Daventry. 6.30—S.B. from London. 7.45—Josephine Trix (the "Blue Skies" star). 8.0—The Station Orchestra, conducted by Warwick Braithwaite: Selection from "Tales of Hoffmann" (Offenbach); Alice Moxon (soprano). 9.0—S.B. from London (9.30, Local Announcements). 9.35-11.0—My Programme, by a Weston-super-Mare Listener; Rex Palmer (baritone) and the Station Orchestra, Arnold Trowell (violoncello), Mabel Constanduros (entertainer), Arnold Trowell with Orchestra.

MANCHESTER (2ZY)—384.6 Metres.

780 Kc.

12.0-1.0—Gramophone Records. 2.30—London Programme, relayed from Daventry. 3.0—Broadcast to Schools. 3.20—Orchestral Music, relayed from the Piccadilly Picture Theatre, conducted by Stanley C. Mills. 5.0—Mr. A. Paxton Chadwick: "Art and the Philistine." 5.15—The Children's Hour. 6.0—London Programme, relayed from Daventry. 6.30—S.B. from London. 7.45—"John Gilpin," a Ballad for Chorus and Orchestra; Poem by William Cowper, set to music by Frederic H. Cowen, followed by "The Pied Piper of Hamelin," Cantata for Tenor, Bass, Chorus, and Orchestra; Poem by Robert Browning, set to music by Hubert Parry: The Pied Piper, Arthur Wilkes (tenor), The Mayor of Hamelin, Reginald Whitehead (bass); The Station Chorus; Chorus Master, S. H. Whittaker; Augmented Station Orchestra, conducted by T. H. Morrison, relayed to London and Daventry. 9.0-11.0—S.B. from London. (9.30—Local Announcements.)

LIVERPOOL (6LV)—297 Metres.

1,010 Kc.

12.0-1.0—Gramophone. Lecture-Recital by Moses Baritz, "Glimpses of Great Composers—II., Johannes Brahms." 4.0—J. W. Smart and his Orchestra, from the Edinburgh Cafe Restaurant. 5.0—Charles W. Budden, "Liverpool Castle." 5.15—The Children's Hour. 6.0—London Programme relayed from Daventry. 6.30—S.B. from London. 7.45—S.B. from Manchester. 9.0—S.B. from London. (9.30—Local Announcements.) 9.35-11.0—"Old Liverpool," an historical Radio Pageant in four episodes. The Liverpool Radio Players. The Station Chorus and Orchestra.

NEWCASTLE (5NO)—312.5 Metres.

960 Kc.

12.0-2.0—London. 2.30—Broadcast to Schools. 3.0—London. 4.0—Music from Coxon's Restaurant. 5.0—London. 5.15—Children's Hour. 6.0—Station Octet. 6.20—Radio Bulletin. 6.30—London. 7.45—A Ballad Concert in memory of John Sims Reeves. Marion Richardson (mezzo-soprano), Phyllis Rickard (contralto), James Davis (tenor). The Station Octet. 9.0-11.0—London.

GLASGOW (5SC)—405.4 Metres.

740 Kc.

12.0—Gramophone Records. 3.15—Dance Music. 4.0—Wireless Quartet. Jean Macrae (soprano). 5.0—Talk. 5.15—Children's Hour. 5.58—Weather Forecast for Farmers. 6.0—Dan Campbell (baritone). 6.30—London. 7.45—Songs of the Trades. Station Orchestra. Ivan Firth (baritone). William Heseltine (tenor). Phyllis Scott (soprano). 9.0—London. 9.35-11.0—Musical Comedy. Station Orchestra. William Heseltine (tenor). Ivan Firth. Phyllis Scott.

BELFAST (2BE)—306.1 Metres.

980 Kc.

12.0-1.0—London. 2.30—London. 3.15—Favourite Composers, Orchestra. Quintin D. Nicol (baritone) 4.30—Pianoforte Jazz by Fred Rogers and Dance Music by the Station Dance Band. 5.0—London. 5.15—Children's Hour. 6.0—London. 7.45—French Composers. Suzanne Bertin (coloratura soprano), Dorothy Robson (soprano), The Station Orchestra. 9.0—London. 9.35—Light French Music. Orchestra. Dorothy Robson. 10.40-11.0—Dance Music.

RAIDER FOILED.

THREATENED BY WOMAN WITH HATCHET.

When Mrs. McQuillan, of Creeve, Co. Monaghan, entered her mother's house while the latter was in the harvest-field she was met by a man of the tramp class emerging from one of the rooms, and carrying with him some of Mr. Duffy's clothing. Armed with a hatchet Mrs. McQuillan ordered the raider to leave down the goods that he had seized, including some cash. Having done so Mrs. McQuillan allowed him to go his way.

COUNTY CORK MAIN ROADS.

At the last meeting of the Youghal Urban Council it was stated that work on the main roads in the vicinity would begin in the middle of November, and, on the proposal of the Chairman (Mr. M. Whelan), it was decided that the clerk should communicate with the County Council inquiring how scavenging, sewerage, gas and water services were dealt with in the specification.

Mr. P. J. O'Gorman said that it was satisfactory to know that the work was to be done soon, because the roads had never been worse.

The Chairman—Better say no more about them; the potholes are awful.

Mr. A. J. Fowkes—Potholes! Some of them are more like shellholes. (Laughter.)

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Monday, September 26.

BEFORE THE MASTER.—At 11 a.m. Motions of Course. Summary Summonses—Marron v. Coskin; Electrolux, Ltd. v. Smith; Fahy v. Clarke; Epstein v. Treacy; Cummins v. Tuohy; Shackleton v. Fannin; Williamson v. O'Malley; Palmer v. Kent; Hibernian Bank v. Fanning; McGrath v. Carroll; McCormack v. Dooner; Enniscorthy Co-op. Agricultural Society v. Golden; Lynch v. Bilsty.

CONSOLIDATED TAXING OFFICE.—Master Macnamara, 11 o'clock. Experts Taxations—Casey v. Rhatigan, P. J. Rawson; Lee v. Foley, H. McDermot; Duggan v. Healey, J. J. Daly; Sheehan v. Sheehan, A. Carroll; Cogan v. Cogan, Smyth and Son; O'Shea v. McGrath, Hoey and Denning; Fridberg v. Ashby, S. G. Rutherford; Kinmouth, decd., R. C. Galvin and Son; Price, decd., W. A. Lanphier.

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DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT.

LIBRARY FILES.

CHARGE OF MALICIOUS DAMAGE.

(BEFORE MR. KENNY.)

Joseph Edelstein, who gave an address in New Bride street, and who described himself as a journalist, was charged with having, on the 2nd ult., stolen from a bound volume of the *Evening Telegraph* in the National Library a leaf of that newspaper dated August 6th, 1908, thus damaging the volume.

Mr. Best, librarian, said that the damage to the volume was irreparable.

Mr. P. Doyle, an assistant in the Library, told the Court that the defendant signed the book in order to see the *Evening Telegraph* files. The witness did not see Edelstein take the page from the file.

The Rev. Paul Grosjean, S.J., of Rathfarnham Castle, stated that on the afternoon of August 2nd last he was in the National Library, when the defendant approached him and opened a conversation with him. "He noticed my foreign accent," said the witness, "and he asked me if I spoke German. I told him I was a Belgian." The accused man then referred him to a newspaper, and requested him to read a letter therein from himself to Mr. John Dillon. He told him that he had been making research in the Library, and had taken from it a page which contained a letter of his.

Detective Wyer, who arrested Edelstein last Saturday morning on the North Circular road, said that he denied the charge made against him, saying, "I did nothing of the sort." In a statement made later he said that he visited the Library and read various volumes, as he often did, containing his Jewish articles. He was looking for extracts dealing with the Jewish New Year and the Day of Atonement, as he wished to correct certain statements dealing with an article of his in a Sunday newspaper. He saw a man, whom he did not know, take newspaper cuttings with him.

The accused man was committed for trial to the Circuit Court, and was admitted to bail.

HOSPITAL THEFTS.

TWO MONTHS' SENTENCE FOR PATIENT'S HUSBAND.

James and Mary Fennessy, husband and wife, who gave as their address River street, Clonmel, were charged with having stolen towels, articles of clothing, and a lady's watch from Mercer's Hospital, Dublin.

The evidence went to show that Mrs. Fennessy was a patient in the hospital, and that she was visited almost daily by her husband, who represented himself as her brother-in-law. On a few occasions he was noticed carrying a parcel when leaving the hospital. He was arrested last Wednesday as he was leaving, and in the parcel which he was carrying were found the articles mentioned. A search of his residence in Clonmel led to the discovery of a deposit receipt for £47 in the Provincial Bank and over £8 in cash.

Fennessy was sentenced to two months' hard labour, and his wife was allowed out on probation for two years.

NO LICENCE FOR GUN.

CO. KILDARE FARMER FINED.

At the Monasterevan District Court, before Mr. O'Donoghue, Superintendent Kelly charged John Carroll, farmer, with having a gun in his possession without a permit.

Sergeant Gunning, in reply to Superintendent Kelly, said that he went to the defendant's house at Derroughta and told him that he had a gun in his possession without authority. The defendant then said that he had the gun for about twelve months and was trying to sell it. He said that he brought it to the house of Patrick McGuire, and was told that James Bergin was looking for the gun, and he sold it to him for £1. He had never looked for a permit for the gun, as he was not acquainted with the laws regarding the possession of firearms.

James Bergin, farmer, Cherryville, said that he bought the gun and gave John Carroll £1 for it. He looked for a permit immediately he got it.

John Carroll, the defendant, said that what Sergeant Gunning stated was true.

Superintendent Kelly—I take a very serious view of the case. If there is not a stop put to this kind of thing it will be very difficult for the Guards to do their duty.

Justice—I will fine the defendant £2 10s. and give him fourteen days to pay.

DUBLIN METHODIST COUNCIL.

The preliminary meeting of the Dublin Methodist Council for the session 1927-28, held in the Centenary Church parlour, was well attended by members. The Rev. J. A. Duke, B.A., presided. The co-option of twelve members to complete the constitution of the Council resulted in the election of the following:—Mrs. Bagnall, Mrs. R. L. Cole, Mrs. Forsyth, Mrs. Harbinson, Mrs. R. Morgan, Mrs. Northridge, Mrs. H. G. Smith, B.A.; Mrs. H. Watson, Miss J. Thomson, Mr. J. H. Cooke, Mr. W. P. Thompson, Mr. R. H. White.

The arrangements for the coming session were discussed. It was decided to invite the Rev. W. R. Budd and Mr. T. St. J. Bagnall, who represented the Irish Methodist Church at the recent Conference of the Churches at Lausanne, to give an account of the proceedings at the next meeting of the Council, to be held on 6th October. It was also arranged that a social and musical evening of the Council would be held on 3rd November.

The corn crop has suffered severely from the recent rains in many districts in North Tipperary.

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KILLED BY A BULL.

LOUTH FARMER'S TERRIBLE DEATH.

On Saturday morning last Mr. Walter Parks, a well-known county Louth farmer, was killed by his prize Shorthorn bull. The animal was so fierce that civilians and Civic Guards, armed with shot-guns and revolvers, were unable to beat him away from where the body lay, and soldiers had to be brought from Dundalk to shoot him.

Mr. Parks who was aged 67 and unmarried, lived with his married brother at Killen, near Carlingford. He was an authority on live stock, and was a prominent exhibitor at the local agricultural shows. On Friday night he went to a field where the bull was tethered with the object of bringing the animal home for the night. When he did not return some of his nephews and employés went to look for him. They found the bull careering wildly round the field in which the naked body of Mr. Parks lay. There was every evidence of a fierce struggle, for portions of Mr. Parks's clothing were scattered about at a distance of a hundred yards from where the body lay. All attempts by the nephews to drive the bull away were fruitless and the neighbours and Civic Guards assembled and endeavoured to shoot the animal with shot-guns and revolvers. The animal kept racing round in a circle in the centre of which the body lay, and for three hours defied all attempts to kill it. Headlights of motor cars were switched on the field in order that the marksmen might take better aim, but their attempts to shoot the bull seemed only to have infuriated it. Soldiers were summoned from Dundalk and the animal was shot with rifles.

When Dr. Finegan, Carlingford who was on the scene for several hours, was able to approach the body, he found that Mr. Parks's chest was smashed by the bull; his backbone and every rib in the body were broken. Every stitch of clothing, save the boots, had been pulled off by the wild animal, and the man had been dead several hours.

At an inquest on Saturday night, Robert Parks, the deceased man's brother, said that Walter had been dealing with bulls all his life, and this particular animal had been so quiet hitherto that the children in the house had often taken it home.

Alexander Parks, a nephew, told of their search through the fields at midnight for the uncle's body. Their uncle had apparently got close to the bull and had placed on its nose the rope halter with which to lead it home. The chain by which it had been tethered was unbroken. The bull refused to leave the body, and the searchers first could only see its shining eyes as it ran round the body. They were firing at the animal for almost four hours and they were unable to beat it off.

The Coroner (Mr. Murphy) found that death was due to shock following the terrible injuries described. He sympathised deeply with the relatives of the dead man.

Mr. Parks was a prominent member of the Church of Ireland, and by all classes his death is genuinely regretted. He was an excellent farmer and a good neighbour. The bull which caused his death had won a prize at Dundalk Show this month.

PROPOSED REDUCTION IN SALARIES.

NORTH TIPPERARY OFFICIALS' ATTITUDE.

The officials of the North Tipperary County Council have refused to accept a voluntary reduction in their salaries, and when this decision was conveyed to a special meeting of the Council, over which Count P. J. O'Byrne presided, there was an animated discussion.

Mr. P. McGrath, solicitor to the Council, said that he believed it would be much better if the Council got counsel's opinion. As the matter stood at present the officials were entitled to take proceedings for recovery of any "cuts" in their salaries.

Mr. J. Bourke (Clonakenny) asked how were they to reduce the rates if they could not reduce the salaries?

Mr. M. O'Meara (Toomevara)—You cannot reduce the rates because you are in the hands of the officials, and I do not think that you are the representatives of the people at all.

Mr. Jeremiah Ryan said that this matter had been fully discussed at Clonmel Mental Hospital Committee, and counsel could give no definite opinion whether the "cuts" were legal or not; and he was now waiting for the judgment of Mr. Justice FitzGibbon. He suggested that they adjourn the question until the High Court decision is available. The Mental Hospital had done so.

Mr. McGrath said that the decision should be available in October.

Mr. Ryan's suggestion was adopted.

U.S. MARKETS.

STRONG CLOSING OF STOCKS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)
NEW YORK, Saturday.

Stocks opened firm, and important shares rebounded strongly again owing to the absence of a renewal of important liquidation and expectation of an early favourable change in the general business position. A belief that the recent selling was largely due to attempts to adjust the top-heavy position of the market and extensive buying of General Motors, which advanced 6 points, had a tonic influence. The absorption of Public Utilities, six issues of which touched the year's best prices, including People's Gas, was due to a revival of merger reports involving Eastern companies. Selective buying of Coppers and Rubbers was renewed, Kelly Springfield 8 per cent. Preferred rising 8 points. Greene Cananfa Copper was again extensively bought, and International Silver improved 8 points. The market closed strong. Government Bonds quiet; Railroad Bonds firm. The day's sales totalled 908,000 shares.

Money on call nominal. Sterling exchange steady. Silver unchanged at 56.

	Sat.	Fri.
Call Money	Nom.	4b. 4 1/4a
Exchange on Lon.—60 days sight	4.82 3/16	4.82 3/16
Do do Demand Bills	4.86 1/4	4.86 1/4
Cable Transfers	4.86 11/16	4.86 5/8
Do. Montreal	4.86 5/8	4.86 1/2
Exchange Paris cable	3.92 3/8	3.92 3/8

Eng. Parity	Stocks.	Sat.	Fri.
197 3/4	Atchison, Topeka, Santa Fe	192 1/2	191 1/2
105 1/16	Do. Pref.	102 1/4	102 1/4
124 3/16	Baltimore and Ohio	121 1/4	121 1/4
188 1/16	Canadian Pacific	184	183 1/2
—	Chicago, Milwaukee, & St. Paul	17 1/2	17 1/4
97 1/16	Chicago and North West	93	93 1/4
62 1/16	Erie Shares	61	60 3/4
61 7/8	Erie 1st Preferred	60 1/4	60 1/4
137 1/16	Illinois Central	133 1/4	133 1/4
154 1/4	Louisville and Nashville	150	150
46 1/4	Missouri, Kansas, and Texas	45	45
55 1/16	Missouri Pacific New	53 7/8	53 1/4
171 15/16	New York C'tral & Hudson R	167 3/8	166 1/2
191 1/16	Norfolk and West Com.	186	185 1/2
97 9/16	Northern Pacific Com.	95	95
68 1/16	Pennsylvania Shares	66 1/2	66 3/8
118 1/16	Reading Shares	115	115
42 3/8	Do. Pref.	41 1/2	41 1/2
123 9/16	Southern Pacific	120 1/4	119 3/8
136	Southern Railway	132 1/4	132 1/4
194 1/16	Union Pacific	188 7/8	189
83 11/16	Do. Pref.	81 1/2	81 1/2
65	American Can. (New Stock)	63 1/4	63 1/4
181 11/16	American Smelt. and Refining	176 7/8	176 1/2
49 11/16	Anaconda Copper	48 3/8	48
—	Anglo-American Oil	—	18 3/8
63 11/16	Bethlehem Steel Com. Stock	62	61 3/4
—	Brit.-American Tobacco Consol.	—	—
121 1/4	New York Consolidated Gas	118 1/2	118 1/4
139 7/8	General Electric (New Stock)	136 1/4	133 3/4 †
277 7/8	General Motors (New)	270 1/2	264 3/4
5 1/8	Inter. Mer. Marine Com. Certs.	5	5
37 5/8	Do. Pref. Certs	37	37
34 9/16	International Pet. of Canada	33	32 1/2
126 9/16	National Lead	123 1/4	124
52 3/8	Pan-American Petroleum "B"	51 1/2	51 1/2
43 1/16	Shell Transport and Trading	42	42 1/8
29 7/16	Shell Union Oil Corp.	28 3/4	28 1/4
57 1/2	U.S. Rubber	56	55 1/4
157 1/16	United States Steel Common	152 7/8	151 1/8
139 1/4	Do. Pref.	136	136
—	Silver Commercial Bars	56	56
	BONDS.		
99 5/8	Atch Top. New 4% Gen. Mort.	97	97
81 1/16	Erie Rail Gen. 4% Lien Bonds	78 1/4	79 3/4
100 7/16	Union Pacific 4% Bonds	97 3/4	97 3/4
112 1/2	U.S. Steel 2nd Mort. 5% Bonds	109 1/2	109 1/2
—	U.K. 5 1/2 per cent. Bonds, 1929	—	—
108 1/4	Do. Do. 1937	105 3/8	105 1/2
109 15/16	7 per cent. German Loan	106 7/8	106 7/8
109 1/16	U.S. Treas. 3 3/4 p.c. Bds. 46-56	106	106

* Asked; † Ex div.; ‡ Ex interest; § Ex rights.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Eng. Equiv.	Stocks and Shares.	Closing Prices. Sat.	Fri.
111 7/8	Abitibi Power & Paper Co., Ltd	108 3/4	109
30 3/8	Asbestos Corp. of Canada, Ltd.	29 1/2	29
95 11/16	Do Pref.	93	93
198 1/4	Brazilian T. L. & P. Co., Ltd	192 3/4	190 5/8
18	Brit. Empire Steel Corp., Ltd.	17 1/2	17 1/2
1 3/8	Do. 1st Preference Series B	1 1/4	1 1/4
—	Do. 2nd Preference	—	—
41 15/16	Brompton Pulp & Paper Co., Ltd	40 3/4	40 7/8
251 9/16	Canada Cement Co., Ltd.	244 1/2	244 1/2
128 5/8	Canadian Cottons Co., Ltd.	125	125
40 3/8	Canadian Indus Alcohol Co.	39 1/4	39 1/8
35	Canada Steamships Lines, Ltd.	35	34 1/2
92 3/4	Do New 6 p.c.	90 1/8	90 1/8
253 1/16	Con. Mining & Smelt. Co. of Canada, Ltd.	246	234
135 1/16	Dominion Textile Co., Ltd.	131 1/4	130 1/2
17 1/2	Hollinger Gold Mining Shares	17	17 1/2
107 1/2	Laurentide Co., Ltd.	104 1/2	103
94 5/8	Montreal L. H. & P. Consd.	92	92
87 15/16	National Breweries, Ltd.	85 1/2	85 1/2
63 1/4	Price Bros. and Co., Ltd.	61 1/2	61 7/8
93 1/8	Shawinigan W. & P. Co. (New)	90 1/8	89 5/8
106 1/2	Spanish R. P'p & P'r Mills, Ltd	103 1/2	104
120 5/8	Do. Preferred	117	117
200 5/8	Steel Co. of Canada, Ltd.	195	197
313 7/16	Quebec Power Co.	305	305
84 3/8	Wayagamack	82	82 7/8
85 1/4	Winnipeg Electric	82 7/8	81

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS.

WHEAT—Spots firm, 3 1/4c. to 5 1/2c. higher.

	To-day.	Prev. day
No. 2 Mixed Durum, spot	164 1/4	160 1/2
No. 1 Northern Manitoba, spot	144 1/4	142
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot	144 1/4	142
No. 2 Red Winter, spot	142 1/4	139

Futures firm and 2 1/4c. to 2 3/8c. higher. Closing options—September, 135; December, 135 3/8; March, unquoted.

Sales for export—35 boatloads.

OATS firm and 3/8c. up. Closing options—September, 50 1/2; December, unquoted.

RYE firm and 1c. higher. No. 2 spot, 111 5/8.

Sales for export—Nil.

BARLEY steady and unchanged. American malting, spot, 90.

MAIZE firm and 1 7/8c. higher.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Western No. 2 mixed spot	106 3/8	104 1/4

Sales for export—Nil.

LARD firm and 25 to 20 points up. Prime Western steam, 13.35; Middle West, 13.00 to 13.10.

FLOUR steady. Spring clears, 100 per cent., 6.65 to 7.00.

Sales for export—Nil.

FREIGHTS.

Heavy grain to Great Britain, per quarter, 2/- to 3/-.

Heavy grain to Continent, per 100lbs., 14c.

Cotton—High density to Great Britain, per 100lbs., 40c.

Cotton—Standard bales to Great Britain, per 100lbs., 55c.

PETROLEUM steady.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Standard White in cases	16.65	16.65
Standard White in barrels	13.25	13.25
Do. Philadelphia	13.25	12.25
Mid-Continent Crude	28-38.9	28-38.9
Pennsylvania Crude	2.25-2.65	2.25-2.65

RUBBER firmer. First latex crepe, spot, 33 7/8 buyers; smoked ribbed sheets, spot, 33 3/4 buyers, 34 sellers.

COFFEE—Closed.

SUGAR—Closed.

TALLOW steady. Spot, extra loose, 8 1/2.

SHELLAC T.N., spot, 49.

TURPENTINE—Spot, 55; Savannah, spot, 49.

METALS—Tin easy. Spot 37 1/2 and December 62 1/2 points lower. Spot and nearby, New York, 59.62 1/2. Future option—December, 59.12 1/2. Lead steady and unchanged. Spot, New York, 6.25; spot, East St. Louis, 6.05. Zinc steady and unchanged. Spot, East St. Louis, 6.20.

PIG IRON steady. Northern No. 2 Plain, f.o.b. Furnace, Eastern Pennsylvania, 20.00; f.o.b. Buffalo (delivery Boston), 21.41 by rail, 19.50 by water.

WINNIPEG GRAINS.

WHEAT opened firm, 1 7/8c. to 1 3/8c. higher, and closed firm, 3 3/4c. to 2 3/4c. higher. Opening options—October, 137; December, 132; May, 135 1/2. Closing options—October, 139 1/4; December, 133; May, 136 7/8. Rye firm and 1 1/2c. to 1 5/8c. up. Closing options—October, 96 1/8; December, 95 3/4. Oats firm and 2 3/8c. to 1 7/8c. higher. Closing options—October, 64 1/4; December, 56. Barley firm, 2 5/8c. to 3c. up. Closing options—October, 79 3/8; December, 75 1/4. Flaxseed firm, 1 3/4c. to 1 1/2c. higher. Closing options—October, 199 1/4; December, 200.

Wheat receipts (carlots).	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 1 Northern	19	13
No. 2 Northern	99	63
No. 3 Northern	102	72
No. 4 Northern	47	47
Other grades	314	276
Total	581	471

NEW YORK COTTON.

COTTON at the opening was barely steady, and lower Liverpool cables and the favourable weather conditions caused foreign and local selling. The market reacted afterwards, due to apprehensions concerning the Canadian cold wave, which has headed South-West, reaching the cotton belt. The advance, however, brought considerable Southern hedge selling, but bullish private crop news finally induced covering. At the close a steady tone prevailed, quotations showing losses of 2 to 5 points on the day. Spot quiet at 5 points decline. New Orleans spot 9 points up.

Spot, middling upland at New York, 20.85.

Receipts—Atlantic ports, 11,000 bales; Gulf, 40,000; Pacific, nil; interior towns, 8,000.

Exports—Great Britain, nil; France and Continent 17,000 bales; Japan and China, nil.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Saturday.

WHEAT opened steady and 1/8c. to 1/4c. higher. Advices of cold and rainy weather in Canada, predictions of snow and sleet over the American and Canadian North-West, together with strength at Winnipeg and continued drought in Australia, stimulated the market, which closed firm, 2 1/4c. to 1 1/2c. up. Spot firm.

	To-day.	Prev. day
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot	132 1/2	—
No. 3 Hard Winter, spot	131 1/2	128 1/4

Futures—Opening options—	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.
To-day	—	130 3/8	133 3/4
Prev. day	—	129 3/4	132 3/4

Futures—Closing options—	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.	May
To-day	129 3/8	132 1/4	135 1/4	—
Prev. day	126 1/8	130	133 3/8	—

MAIZE was steady and 1/4c. to 1/2c. up at the opening. The market closed steady at 1 1/4c. to 2 1/2c. gain.

Futures—Opening options—	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.
To-day	97	98 1/8	100 1/2
Prev. day	95 1/4	97 1/2	100 1/4

Futures—Closing options—	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.	May
To-day	97 3/8	99 3/4	102 1/2	—
Prev. day	95 1/4	97 1/2	100 1/4	—

OATS firm, 1/4c. down to 1/4c. up.

Futures—Closing options—	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.	May
To-day	46 1/2	48 3/4	50 1/4	—
Prev. day	46 1/4	48 1/2	50 3/4	—

RYE firm at 2c. to 1c. advance. No. 2 spot unquoted.

Futures—Closing options—	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.
To-day	98 3/4	97 5/8	101
Prev. day	96 1/4	96 5/8	100

PROVISIONS—Lard opened steady, and prices advanced on packers buying and shorts covering, owing to the rise in corn. There was a better cash demand, and the market finished firm, with futures 25 to 12 1/2 and spot 25 points higher. Ribs closed quiet, 30 points up to unchanged. Lard—Prime Western steam, 12.85.

Lard—Closing options—	Sept.	Oct.	Jan.
To-day	12.52 1/2	12.57 1/2	13.05
Prev. day	12.30	12.32 1/2	12.92 1/2

Ribs—Closing options—	Sept.	Oct.	Jan.
To-day	12.10	12.10	12.50
Prev. day	11.80	11.80	12.50

BACON steady. Short ribs spot (60lbs. average), 12.50.

HOGS firm at late rates. Light-weight, 10.75 to 11.65; heavy-weight, 10.00 to 11.35.

	To-day.	Same day last year.
Receipts—Western Cities	17,000	28,000
Chicago	2,000	5,000

Receipts of hogs at fifteen principal Western centres, including Chicago, since February 26th total 14,582,000, against 14,167,000 same season last year.

The week's hog pack here totalled 77,000, compared with 82,000 last week and 85,000 last year.

WOMAN AND HER HOME.

A LETTER TO PAULINE.

DEAR PAULINE,—The Dublin City Commissioners are to be heartily congratulated on the success of their first Civic Week, and praise must also be given, not only to the National Army, but also to the many civilians who arranged the various attractions and did such hard work.

I think the clerk of the weather was the only person who did not seem to grasp what was required of him; but even his bad spirits did not prevent people all over Ireland from availing themselves of the really wonderful excursions organised by the various railway companies.

Railways are now centenarians, but, in spite of air and omnibus services, their popularity will remain when they are as accommodating to their passengers as they were during Civic Week. Of course, John Ruskin says that going by railroad is merely being "sent" like a parcel, but, after all, it's the "getting there" that really matters, and Dublin was well worth "getting to" last week. The tastes of the men and children were well catered for, and certainly the shops were of interest to all women. The windows were all freshly and charmingly dressed. It would be impossible to mention every shop by name, but I must say that I found the window display of Messrs. Todd Burns most interesting.

Apart from general decorations, the two things that appealed to me most in town were the freshly-painted public clocks and the clean, shining windows. If there is any greater sign of slovenliness than dirty windows, tell me what it is? Surely a business house with a shabby clock, hopelessly fast or slow, hardly speaks of prosperity; and yet these two faults were very common in Dublin. Now, however, that people have had seen the difference, these things will, I am sure, belong for ever to the past.

What a pity it cannot be always Civic Week? Things will seem very dull for the next few days, but on Thursday Michaelmas steps in to liven us up again. Queen Elizabeth, it is said, was the originator of the Michaelmas goose. She had one on the table before her when news arrived of the defeat of the Spanish Armada, and she commanded the same dish to be served for remembrance each succeeding Michaelmas. Choosing a goose is really easier said than done, but the easiest guides to the youthfulness of the fowl are that the breast is plump, the skin white, and the feet pliable and yellow. Should the latter be red or stiff, then pass by fair buyer and leave that goose for some less wise purchaser.

A goose is both unwholesome and unpalatable if insufficiently cooked. It usually takes from an hour and a half to two hours to roast in a brisk oven. Just before serving, it is a good idea to pour a "Bonne Bouche" into the fowl. This is made by mixing half a teaspoonful of salt, a pinch of cayenne and a teaspoonful of made mustard, with a generous glass of port.

It will not be difficult to think out suitable table decorations for that day, since Michaelmas daisies suggest themselves. The botanical name for the Michaelmas daisy is "Aster," and they grow in such delightful variety in my garden that I find them invaluable from September to November. I am always careful to divide and re-plant them in March. Even poets place Michaelmas daisies higher than chrysanthemums or dahlias by referring to them as "last smiles of the departing year."

As we motored through the country last week-end, children ran towards the car and offered blackberries for sale. Of course, we purchased all we could. Whenever it is possible, people who can afford to buy other fruit should purchase blackberries from the children of the poor, and give a fair price, too! The blackberry is the only fruit which grows wild in this country; it has never been cultivated, and remains through all the years on the hedges as "capital" for the poor, if they only have the energy to realise by sending their kiddies off bright and early, with baskets on their arms, to gather in their harvest.

Blackberry jelly is really very simply made, and is a great delicacy. This is my favourite recipe:—Wash the berries, and mash them with a wooden spoon in preserving pan. Cook slowly until soft, and strain through a coarse strainer; then allow juice to drop through a jelly-bag. If the jelly-bag is secured the juice can be left dropping overnight. Measure, bring to boiling point and boil for five minutes. Add an equal measure of heated sugar, boil three minutes, skim, and pour into glasses. Place in a sunny window for twenty-four hours before covering.

Blackberry jam is made in exactly the same way, except that you don't strain it, but I think that the jelly well repays you for the little extra time and trouble.

Pauline, dear, there will be a new moon to-night, so be careful not to see it through a window. Bow to it very ceremoniously, and be sure to turn your money.—Yours, with love,
MARY.

OUR EYES.

FRENCH doctors have discovered a means of strengthening and preserving the eyes by exercises, which it is said are also most successful in curing styes.

The method is simple in the extreme, and the eye "gymnastics" are as follows:—

Once or twice daily open the eyes to their fullest extent slowly, look upwards as far as possible, then close the eyelids, and repeat this action seven times.

Then, holding the head motionless, look several times as far to the right as you can, and then to the left. At first, these movements may cause slight headache, but after a little practice no unpleasant result will follow.

It is strange how little care and attention is given to the eyes by most women; skin, hair, teeth all receive anxious care, but the precious eyes on which so much depend, are left to look after themselves.

If women realised that (apart from eyesight) much of their good looks depend on the eyes and eyebrows they would study how to beautify and preserve them.

It is not to all that good eyes are given, but in Ireland they are fairly common, and a few hints as to their preservation may be useful.

Driving on the dusty roads and in cold winds, sitting up late and overworking the eyes, naturally in time makes them dull and lustreless, if nothing is done to cleanse and strengthen them.

Perhaps, when pain and failing eyesight drives a woman to an oculist, she may find she has neglected her eyes too long, or, at best, that she must wear disfiguring expensive glasses.

It is really such a simple thing to look after the eyes, and to preserve their use and beauty through middleage into old age.

From early childhood, sponging them with cold water should be practised every morning, and the water dashed up into the eyes with the hands; then, on every washstand there should be an eyebath—indeed, two for choice—as one eye easily carries any infection to the other. After motoring in an open car or a long railway journey each eye should have its little "bath" of boric lotion, or, what many oculists prefer, salt and water. Warm milk and water is very soothing, too, and rose-water, slightly diluted, is a good and old-fashioned tonic and beautifier for tired eyes.

A girl I know always improves the appearance of her eyes before a dance in this manner. Fresh parsley is crushed with a little hot water, and spread on a folded handkerchief, which is laid across the closed eyes. She then lies down for a quarter of an hour or more with the handkerchief tied firmly on. The result is soft, bright eyes, and a rested feeling in them.

The eyebrows are a most important asset to beauty. No one with good eyes and delicately-traced dark eyebrows can be really plain. I do not care for the "pencils" usually employed for darkening the eyebrows; it is much better to use an ordinary soft lead pencil, and for special occasions the liquid preparation.

Cocoanut oil, applied regularly with a camel's hair every day for six weeks will make the eyebrows grow, but they must be gently pinched and stroked to induce the slender curved arch, which is so fascinating, and so greatly enhance the beauty of the eyes.
M.M.

IN THE GARDEN.

COURAGE in disaster, delicate, lovely things, bearing themselves valiantly against a strong and ruthless enemy, is this not inspiring to those who are too easily discouraged?

The bravest things I have seen to-day, after the desolation wrought by the storm of wind and rain are in my little garden.

It has not a good aspect, its soil is not light, it is not sheltered from the cold winds, and it is tended only by an unintelligent peasant and by myself, a lover of flowers, but an ignoramus in horticulture.

In spite of this, however, there are, as I said, brave and beautiful things to be seen in the old garden to-day. There is a tall hedge of sweet peas, not those monster ones trained unnaturally up to a trellis of wire, but an old-fashioned, thick hedge, supported by twigs of beech.

After three days of wind and rain I went to inspect the flowers with a sinking heart, expecting to find them beaten down, and ruin everywhere; but the sweet peas stood erect and graceful, only a few blossoms lying sadly on the ground, whilst the strongest blooms, in pity, concealed these tender ones which had suffered some damage in the cruel storm—wine-red, varied mauves, soft blues, brilliant crimson, pale white and rosy-pink blooms—how they cheered me with their freshness and gallant bearing.

I turned to the border of dahlias, and found their glorious colours undimmed, the pale primrose single dahlias looked, perhaps, a little "tired" after a bad night, but the scarlet and pink blossoms were as brilliant as before.

Graceful, slender Japanese anemones waved on their tall stalks with what seemed to me an innocent defiance of all harm. I remembered a forest of them in the Himalayas growing wild after "the rains," but they were all pure white; and here I have also those pinkish mauve ones, which are so attractive. Japanese anemones love damp round their roots, and they certainly have plenty just now!

There was a hint of defeat and sadness in the rose border, where petals, red and white and pink, lay on the wet earth in profusion, but there were many sturdy-looking rose buds, too, with their strong leaves glistening with raindrops.

The ramblers had weathered the storm well, especially the "Lady Gay," and the pergola was clothed with red and pink laughing blossoms.

My bed of violets was a mass of green leaves, wet and brilliantly green, and I found many pale Neapolitans and lovely dark Russian violets nestling under them; the scent was faint, but exquisite, and one could imagine its intoxicating loveliness when the flowers were picked and brought into a warm room.

Looking round my garden where a mass of sunny colour was given by the golden montbretia and the many coloured hollyhocks, I found that the only flowers which had not braved the elements were the asters and the gladioli, both strong and aggressive looking, but they are not favourite flowers of mine; so the sodden asters and the faded, broken gladioli did not cause much regret.

Apparently, with flowers, it is true, that "In weakness is their strength."
MAY SLADE.

ORCHARDS ROBBED.

MARAUDERS AT LARGE IN MOUNTMELLICK.

Wholesale robbery of orchards is taking place around Mountmellick, and one man estimates his loss in apples and plums alone at £100. The marauders not alone break stalks and flower plants and trample vegetables, but break brambles of trees and carry them away.

WESTMEATH HUNT.

SUCCESSFUL PUPPY SHOW.

Captain C. Winter, the new M.F.H., presided over the very successful Puppy Show at the Kennels, by which the hunting season in the County Westmeath may be said to have been inaugurated. There was an entry of ten couples of dogs and ten couples of bitches and fourteen whelps of the same litter. Messrs. C. Haynes (Kildare) and W. Fitzsimons (Meath) acted as judges.

The Master entertained those present, and Mrs. J. R. Malone presented the prizes.

Dog Hounds—Jetsam (walked by Mr. Percy O'Neill), 1; Hamlet (walked by Mr. P. Gavin), 2; Sapper (walked by Mr. J. H. Locke), 3.

Bitches—Compass (walked by Mr. Martin Purcell), 1; Safety (walked by Mrs. Elvers), 2; Harmless (walked by the late Colonel E. W. Purdon Winter), 3.

ART OF SEWING.

A FEW HINTS.

SEWING is almost a lost art, more especially that called white sewing. Fifteen years ago a lady who understood the art of dressing would have despised machine-made underclothes. There are still people who do so to-day. But their numbers are on the decrease.

Since the war the linen trade has suffered great losses and woven and knitted silks have come to take its place. Richness of craft has given place to richness of fabric. Drawn thread work, appliqué lace, white scalloping and embroidery, that made works of art on a linen foundation, are now found in few shops, and then as luxuries. It is true that people, still, when getting a trousseau, order handmade clothes from a shop that specialises in them or from a convent. But only one woman in a thousand sits down to make these things herself.

The Personal Touch.

It is for this reason that sewing as an art is on the decline. People will not take the necessary trouble. It is the age of machinery and ready-mades. Garments are turned out by the thousand in the factory. Why go to the bother of making them. The answer is the same as that which applies to arts that are indeed arts, and not crafts, as needlework is: because the hand-made is personal, the machine-made is mass. The petticoat sewn and embroidered by hand was made by someone's trouble and skill—the machine-made petticoat from the factory has been impersonally "turned out." But this happily does not apply to all countries equally. France, the home of needlewomen, still cherishes the hand-sewn. In the cash boxes of cafés and behind the counters of cake shops one can see girls doing open-work hems, embroidering scalloped edges. The shops, even with their goods are not genuinely hand-sewn, when the seams are sewn with the machine, have at least ornamented tops, hand-embroidered, and open-work hems.

Ireland, too, is a country where needlework has been cherished, and now and again in some remote part of the country we find exquisitely-made garments coming from some poor cottage. But side by side with beautiful needlework and lace one finds an incapacity or a reluctance to mend. Darning of stockings or linen is also an art. In this I can say from personal experience that the French again excel. I have seen a stocking torn across just over the instep, where it most showed, mended by a Frenchwoman, and the mended part merely appeared as a line drawn across the stocking.

Elegant frocks should be treated in the same way as white sewing, and should not be sewn on the machine. Silks—crêpe de chine, taffeta, satin—should never be machined, although the stronger silken materials, such as repp may be. The tendency in machining is to harden. Thus, a model frock of heavier material will have hand-sewn lining. A factory frock of the same material will, of course, be machine-sewn.

A Mixed Blessing.

A sewing machine is a mixed blessing. It is an exceedingly useful thing to have, if used in the proper spirit. A modern sewing machine can make tucks, do open-work hems, and a thousand other things. It can also darn. But one should realise that it is only a machine. Don't start "turning things" out on it, especially under-things. It is splendid for curtains and certain kinds of frocks. But don't put what is precious and dainty on the machine and start "running it up."

Sewing is within every woman's reach. It only requires a little care. Don't sew with a long thread. The energy that should be put into stitches is going into pulling the length of thread. When putting on lace, don't make a hem first, unless it is to be some special kind, such as open-work. Roll the material in with your thumb under the lace as you go along. If you have no tracing paper with which to iron on scalloping, a threepenny bit does just as well to form the semi-circle.

In darning stockings, leave a loop if they are woollen. This is to allow for shrinkage of the new darning wool. All round the hole should be darned first, and on the wrong side. In mending sheets, do not put new material into old sheets. In mending ladders in silk stockings a crochet needle should be used to catch the fallen loop, and worked through.
MARION FORD.

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THE ART OF BEING LOVED.

IT is very natural to long for the affection of those about us, for life, after all, is nothing without love. As an old French poet says:—

"C'est l'amour, l'amour, l'amour,
Qui fait le monde à la ronde."

The only pity is that we are sometimes too ready to be satisfied with an inferior article, and to accept the advances of people not at all worthy of esteem. Were it otherwise, there would be a great deal less misery in the world and a great deal more solid happiness.

First, make yourself worth the loving, and people will be sure to care for you. Have a tender heart, be gentle, be good—that is the whole matter.

Of course, if we are to gain affection we must feel affection. He knew the world who wrote, "Love me; I love you." You must show your love, too, and be very kind and obliging. "Love and a cough," you know, "can never be hid."

Many speak of the charm of good looks, but that is not the question. Those who have any sense are not so eager after the most beautiful features as after the most beautiful heart. Who will love you if you are morose and capricious, or if you are vain and empty-headed, or if you are quarrelsome and heartless, or if you are mean and greedy? You cannot begin with everything disagreeable and end with pure and happy affection, any more than you can take figs off thistles.
F. G.

"MISTAKEN ECONOMY."

NURSE AND BOARD OF GUARDIANS.

Writing to Castlederg Board of Guardians in reference to their decision to deduct from her salary the amount paid to a temporary nurse in respect of two days which she had overstayed her holiday leave, Miss Woods, charge nurse of Castlederg Hospital, stated that she was greatly disappointed at the action of the Board. She considered it unfair, and not in the least generous. She had worked faithfully for the Board since she came there, and saved them much greater expense than her holidays cost them. The decision of the Board was not very encouraging, and it was a mistaken piece of economy.

The Board took no action in the matter.

TEMPERANCE.

COMPULSORY TEACHING IN THE NATIONAL SCHOOLS.

The monthly meeting of the Executive of the Irish Association for the Prevention of Intemperance was held in the Boardroom, 4 Eustace street, Dublin, on Thursday last, Mr. Frederick T. Eason presiding. There were also present: Miss V. Allen, Miss K. Patten and Messrs. Seamus Byrne, W. R. Wigham and W. H. Woodworth, F.C.A.

Invitations were received to the United Kingdom Alliance annual meetings and to the autumnal meeting of the National Temperance Federation, to be held in Manchester on the 19th and 20th October, 1927, respectively. A letter was read from the Irish Temperance Alliance regarding the teaching of temperance in the National schools in the Irish Free State. The Hon. Secretary, Mr. W. R. Wigham, reported that he had obtained information from the Commissioners of National Education that the teaching of temperance was compulsory in Standards V. and VI., for pupil teachers and in the entrance examinations to the training colleges and the new preparatory training college.

KILKENNY SHOW.

In the report of the awards at the Kilkenny Agricultural Show published on the 23rd instant it was erroneously stated that Mr. T. W. Lazenby, Graiguenamanagh, was a first prize winner in the egg classes. It should have been stated that Mr. Lazenby won a first prize with White Wyandottes in the live poultry classes.

Two elephants from Rangoon arrived at the London "Zoo" yesterday, having walked from Tilbury docks. They are mother and baby.

"Paws like that belong to the Zoo, Bob!"

"And even *there* they'd give them a quick scrubbing. But, speaking as man to man, old chap, I can assure you that Mummy is right. It isn't girlish to have clean hands—it's only sense. Dirty hands are *dangerous.*"

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DUBLIN CORPORATION SCHOLARSHIPS.

AN EXPENDITURE OF £3,630.

A meeting of the Dublin City Commissioners was held last Saturday, Mr. Seamus Murphy presiding, a report was submitted by Mr. P. J. Hernon (Commissioner) recommending the award of secondary scholarships for the Session 1927-1928. Under the scheme 319 applications were received; 30 of these were ineligible on the ground of age, income or residence. Of the remaining number, 18 were absent from the oral examination, and 61 failed to qualify at that examination, leaving 210 eligible for the written examination, conducted by the Department of Education, on the 21st, 22nd and 23rd June. Of this number 14 failed to present themselves, and of the remainder 69 passed the examination. He had decided to award the scholarships available to the successful candidates in order of merit. As, however, two candidates tied for 40th place, it would be necessary this year to award 41 scholarships.

£20 SCHOLARSHIPS.

He recommended the award of a scholarship value £20 each to the following, whose names are given in the order of merit:—John A. Watters, James Kavanagh, Columbia McGuire, John F. O'Sullivan, Mary Maguire, Gerald Alpin, Joseph F. Bohn, Tomas P. O Madain, Sheila Smyth, John G. Gaynor, John J. Hughes, Brigid C. Mulcahy, Padraig G. Ingolsby, John F. O'Donnell, Francis V. Louis, Michael V. Culliton, Richard Harrington, John Garrett, Patrick J. Morrissey, Kevin Walsh, Francis L. Treanor, Patrick H. Crosbie, Annie Page, Patrick Linnane, Hilda M. Dillon, Robert P. Cooke, Anne M. Whelan, Sylvester Fitzpatrick, Thomas A. Howard, William Marlowe, Kathleen Byrne, William Doyle, William Kennedy, John J. Crowley, Martin F. Daly, Mary A. Devine, Cathal O Caomhanach, Anthony Beglan, Frederick Smith, Joseph T. Bryan, Patricia J. M. Dowling.

Having considered the reports received from the headmasters and the Assistant Commissioner of Intermediate Education as to the conduct, attendance and educational progress of the scholars, Mr. Hernon recommended the award of second, third and fourth year scholarships as follows:—

SECOND YEAR—Ashe, Frederick; Banim, Edward R.; Blair, Henry; Blanchfield, Denis W.; Carroll, Joseph A.; Cavanagh, Joseph A.; Clarke, Albert V.; Colbert, John F.; Colbert, John G.; Colgan, John; Condron, Edward J.; Cooke, Richard; Cumber, John F.; Daly, Nicholas; Doolan, Thomas; Dooley, Jerome P.; Fagan, Andrew A.; Fitzpatrick, Matthew B.; Flanagan, Denis; Headon, Maurice F.; Hughes, Anthony; Madden, Marie; Murray, Donald M.; Murray, Gerard; McCarthy, Patrick D.; McDonald, Patrick J.; MacEnri, Seamus; MacFearloinge, Pilib; McGrath, William J.; McKernan, Harold G.; O'Hanlon, Joseph; O h-Ir, Seosamh; Peakin, Kevin Ignatius; Pearce, John; Pierson, James; Sheridan, William A.; Troy, John J.; Walsh, James P.; Walshe, Lorcan J.; Woods, Frederick J.

THIRD YEAR—Basto, Liam; Bent, Rowland; Cleary, Edmond; Brady, Thomas; Davy, Joseph F.; Crowley, John J.; Donoghue, Joseph; Daly, Patrick; Forde, Thomas J.; Donnelly, Aidan J.; Graham, Edward; Edwards, Patrick J.; Jackson, James A.; Gleeson, Noel J.; Lennon, Walter; Guerrini, Vincent F. H.; Menton, Brendan; Keogh, Thomas C.; Nolan, Francis; Maguire, Francis; O'Ceallaigh, Liam; McLoghlin, John; O'Cuiv, Ayindries; O'Brion, Seosamh; O'Faolain, Thomas; O'Connell, Cornelius; O'Leary, Jeremiah; O'Dwyer, Kevin; O'Mahony, William; O'Halloran, John P. E.; O'Suilleabhain, Thomas; O'Leary, Margaret; Purcell, Patrick J.; O'Meara, John; Walsh, Brendan; O'Speiring, Sean; Whitney, James; Rogers, Hubert C.

FOURTH YEAR—Barrett, Cecil J.; Byrne, Herbert G.; Byrne, Louis M.; Cahill, John; Cannon, M. J.; Casey, Timothy; Cassin, John; Connolly, James A.; Dunne, John; Ellis, Francis; Hanley, Dermot; Jacob, Anthony; Herbert, Robert; Kelly, Edward; Kerlin, Gerard; King, James M.; Lynch, Michael; Kirwan, Laurence; Moran, John; Maguire, John F.; Neagh, Patrick; Mulholland, William; O'Leary, William; O'Daly, Carroll; Rock, Brendan; O'Reilly, Peter; Roddy, Cecil P.; Sweeney, Aiden; Wood, Patrick.

The report, which was adopted, will involve an expenditure of £3,630, provision for which has been made in the current year's estimates.

OTHER AWARDS.

Mr. Commissioner Hernon recommended the award of first-year scholarships, tenable in University College, Dublin, for the session 1927-1928, to the following candidates who competed at the Leaving Certificate examination held by the Department of Education in June last:—Shan O'Cuiv, 1,354 marks; John F. Murray 1,322; Maureen McDermott, 1,305; Oonah C. McDowell, 1,303; Frederick J. Holland, 1,224; Mary A. D. Kennedy, 1,087; Annie M. Dooley, 908; Honora O'Donnell, 901; Peter J. Martin, 746; John Bourke, 707; Patrick McHenry, 690; Kathleen D. Gately, 679; Joseph S. Barnard, 672; William H. Bayley, 630; John J. Wedick, 624; Brendan McHenry, 613; Diarmuid Kenny, 608; Daniel A. Warren, 424; Martha J. Doyle, 201.

The recommendation was approved.

The Commissioners approved of the appointment by Mr. P. J. Hernon (Commissioner) of Mr. W. D. Pile as a whole-time teacher of motor car engineering at a salary of £250, rising by increments of £10 to £300 per annum, plus cost of living bonus.

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GAELIC LEAGUE CLASSES.

Large numbers have enrolled for the Gaelic League classes. The opening meeting of the Ard Craobh, which will be addressed by the presidents of the societies which have been established for the revival of the language, will take place this evening. Over four hundred students attended its classes last session.

CLAIM FOR BURNING OF HOUSE.

Mr. Edward O'Shea, Roscrea, has lodged a claim for £2,500 in respect of the destruction by fire of a house.

THIS WEEK'S AUCTIONS OF FURNITURE AND FINE ARTS.

MONDAY.
9 and 10 Bachelor's Walk (James Hill and Son).

TUESDAY.
28 Upper Merrion street (Battersby and Co.); 1 Cassandra villas, Bray (P. J. Byrne and Sons, Bray); office furniture—128 Stephen's Green (Wm. Montgomery and Son).

WEDNESDAY.
28 Upper Merrion street (Battersby and Co.); 15 Haddington road (A. J. Keogh).

THURSDAY.
"Gordonville," Sydenham road, Dundrum (Garvey and Good).

LONDON STOCK MARKET FEATURES.

BUOYANCY OF INDUSTRIAL SHARES.

HOW NITRATES ARE MOVING.

FROM OUR FINANCIAL CORRESPONDENT.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON, E.C., Saturday.

Before the end of last week the leading Industrial Shares had fully recovered from the temporary reaction experienced a short time ago, when, for a brief space, it looked as though a decidedly lower level of values would be witnessed. In more than one direction the opinion was expressed that the rise in this section of the Stock Exchange was being overdone, while in one particular quarter a solemn warning was uttered. Because of these circumstances there was some amount of selling, or, at least, fresh buying was checked, while, taking advantage of the position, professional operators appear to have sold short. At the lower level of prices thus brought about new buyers were attracted, and when it was sought to execute their orders it was at once found that there was very little stock about, and that purchases could not be effected at all at the lower level. Consequently, a quick rally ensued, and in more than one instance prices afterwards rose to a higher level than before. This was noticeably so last week in Dennis Brothers, Columbia Graphophones and Krueger and Toll B.

ATTITUDE OF THE PUBLIC.

Last week's experience goes to confirm the views previously expressed that, broadly speaking, the public do not sell, or sell to any material extent. They buy shares, believing that the purchase will be ultimately justified by capital appreciation, if not by dividends, and they put the shares away, refusing to be frightened into selling when there is a temporary break in prices. This is really a remarkable state of affairs, and while it continues we shall have very strong markets. Where the point is reached at which shares are over-valued the future has yet to decide. What is a little puzzling is this: If the present level of Industrial Shares generally is justified—to say nothing of a further advance—why did the most prominent shares stand at a much lower price, say, a year or two ago? In the interval there has been some recovery in trade, but scarcely sufficient to warrant the rise in the popular industrials from the lowest level touched in 1926. The latter year was exceptional because of the labour troubles, but the remark would apply if the comparison were taken back to 1925.

NITRATE SHARES.

While market activity last week largely centred in Columbia Graphophones, Gramophones, Celanese issues, Match shares, and various other industrials, a noteworthy feature was a rally in Nitrate shares. The movement, of course, was due to the reports that the American demand for the Chilean fertiliser has expended considerably owing, largely, to the theory that the extensive damage to this year's cotton crop was partly due to the fact that less Chilean nitrate had been used on the ground, experience having shown that this commodity is an enemy of the boll weevil. This, of course, is only a theory, but if its promulgation encourages a big increase in the American demand for Chilean nitrate the industry will benefit. There is no doubt that the demand for the commodity has greatly increased, and if there were assurance that the Chilean Government would help a revival of the country's principal industry by modifying the export duties on nitrate, the outlook would be greatly improved.

HOW PRICES HAVE MOVED.

Whether Nitrate shares should be bought now it is difficult to say. Prices have risen a good deal from the lowest, and perhaps to an extent that is not justified, having regard to the unsatisfactory financial position of most of the companies. Several offices have closed for some months, and probably will not re-open until the improvement in the outlook has become more definite, or, perhaps, until there is some certainty that reasonable profits can be earned. In view of the recent recovery, it may be interesting to give the extreme prices touched by some of the principal shares since 1923, in comparison with the figures current at the end of last week:—

Share	Since 1923 Highest	Lowest	Present Price
Aguas Blancas £5/-	£8/4½	£1/7½	£3/1½
Alianza £5	20/-	5/-	£1/-
Angela £1	2½	¾	1/-
Larunas £5	2½	¾	1/-
Lautaro £5	1½	¾	1/-
Liverpool £1	£9/3	£6/1½	£2/-
New Tamarugal £1	£3/6	£1/-	£1/10½
Pan de Azucar £1	£9/-	£0/3	
Rosario £1	£7/6	£1/7½	£4/6
Salar del Carmen £1	£0/6	£6/3	£2/3
Tarpaca 10/-	£7/10½	£5/6	£0/6

As a rule the lowest prices were touched this year. Recovery from that level has been somewhat pronounced, but, of course, the present prices still show a very serious shrinkage compared with the highest since 1923.

THE DROP IN PROFITS.

To some extent the previous fall was justified by the drop in profits, which in many cases was substantial. To take the biggest company in the above list, the Lautaro had a gross profit in 1925 of £2,039,219, but for the following year the amount was only £608,588, and the dividend was reduced from 15 to 5 per cent. This company has a heavy capital—£6,559,440 in £5 shares, together with nearly £2,800,000 of 6½ per cent. debenture stock, the properties being valued in the last balance-sheet at £8,456,630. Since 1924 the gross profits of the Alianza Company have fallen from £386,528 to £29,909, and whereas for 1924 there was a dividend of 40 per cent., nothing has been paid since.

OTHER EXAMPLES.

In the case of the Liverpool Nitrate Company, the gross profit has fallen since 1924 from £188,235 to £79,994, and the dividend from 22½ per cent. to 7½ per cent. This company is better off than some, owing to the moderate capital, for only £17,500 is required to pay 5 per cent. on the ordinary shares, and there are no preference shares or debentures. The gross profit of the New Tamarugal Company exceeded £203,000 in 1925, but for 1926 it amounted to only £100,145, and the dividend was cut down from 35 per cent. to 5 per cent. In the same period the gross profit of the Pan de Asucar Company dropped from £60,152 to £35,598, and the dividend from 25 to 15 per cent. In the case of the Rosario Company, the revenue has been halved since 1923, and whereas for that year and 1924 the dividends was 11 per cent., nothing was paid for 1926. The experience of the Salar del Carmen in recent years has been particularly unsatisfactory. There was a gross profit of £90,956 in 1923, and the shareholders received a dividend of 30 per cent., but for last year the gross profit was only £6,251, and the dividend was passed, although to pay 5 per cent. requires only £11,000. There are, however, 6½ per cent. Notes for £150,000, the interest upon which absorbs £9,750 per annum.

The Tarapaca Company has paid no dividend since 1924, but the drop in the gross profits since that year has only been from £52,615 to £37,926. Besides the issued capital of £400,000 in 10s. shares, this company has 6½ per cent. debentures, the interest and sinking fund upon which require £60,000 per annum.

THE OIL INDUSTRY.

The enormous production of oil in the United States of late and the fact that in some other countries, notably Venezuela, the output has also greatly increased, the latter country's figure having doubled last year, some concern is expressed in regard to supplies of oil in the future, it being feared by some that there must inevitably be a world shortage. In view of the increasing use of the commodity this, of course, would be serious. A member of the American Petroleum Institute, however, is able to take a reassuring view upon this point. He says that the constant discovery of new fields, deeper and even deeper drilling, larger recoveries from the oil-bearing sands, more efficient refining, and the cracking of a constantly greater proportion of the heavy oils all these things have kept supplies in pace with the demand. It is now realised that if over the supply of well-oil definitely sags, there is an almost inexhaustible resource at hand in the oil-bearing shales which are scattered throughout many States, and in the distillation of oil from coal. Scientists, technologists, Government initiative, and the industry's interest have united in the research and investigation which seem to assure against a motor-fuel famine.

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

THE OUTLOOK.

Now that the long account is practically over, the Stock Exchange is looking for increased activity. The speculative position is all the healthier for the profit-taking witnessed in the past week, and there is certainly no inflated bull account, even in the popular Industrials. All the signs point to a continuance of public interest in this market. Trade advices are more encouraging, though not uniformly good, and the money outlook causes less anxiety, owing to the improvement in the New York exchange and the release of £1,000,000 from the South African reserve of gold, apart from which more gold will be available in the open market this week.

New issues are likely to be plentiful this autumn. Several Colonial corporation and foreign borrowers are awaiting a suitable moment to appeal to the investing public, and the Industrial boom can hardly fail to be followed by numerous issues of fresh capital by commercial undertakings.

Argentine Railway dividend estimates having been fulfilled in every case, except possibly the Argentine North-Eastern, there is not much scope for speculation, though the market should appeal to the investor. Points that will be watched at the coming meetings are the outlook for the crops and the capital requirements of the railways to provide for extensions. Leopoldina earnings are expected to improve, since comparison will be with the period of last year following the depreciation of the milreis. Dealings in United Havana should become broader when bearer as well as registered stock is being dealt in. This is likely to attract American purchases. Salvador Rails are also expected to come into greater prominence, the position showing steady improvement.

Motor shares are worth watching. Dennis Bros. and Napiers have risen materially in the past week, but are still believed to offer scope. Among Tobaccos Carreras are still favoured, and in the Artificial Silk group Courtaulds and Snia Viscosa are expected to go ahead on the coming start of dealings in Glanzstoff shares in London. British Celanese may be taken still higher, the market being well under control.

MINING TRUST SHARES.

The interim dividend of 9d. per share announced on the £1 shares of the Amalgamated Mining Trust, Ltd., calls attention to the interesting position occupied by this company (says *The Observer*). It is a reconstitution of the Gold Coast Amalgamated Mines, Ltd., and its chairman is Lord Harris, who is also the chairman of the Consolidated Gold Fields of South Africa. The issued capital is £673,017, and the dividend of 9d. per shares compares with an interim of 6d. per share paid on a smaller capital last year. The full dividend for last year was 7½ per cent. A list of the company's investments is given with the balance sheet, the holdings at March 31 last including 988 Common shares of the American Celanese Company, now split into 3,952 shares valued at £205 each; 825 Common shares of the Canadian Celanese Company, 46,167 Common shares in the American Potash and Chemical Corporation, 5,000 Apex Trinidad 5s. shares, 29,000 Consolidated Gold Fields 5 per cent. Preference shares, 17,000 Sub Nigel 10s. shares, and others. At the annual meeting Lord Harris suggested that the company's investments gave "good promise both as regards capital appreciation and expectation of revenue." The £1 shares are quoted at 23s., and we regard them as an extremely attractive speculation.

KAY YEW (KINTA VALLEY) TIN MINES, LTD.

The Scott H. Finance Co., Ltd., announce that letters of allotment and regret in connection with the issue of 500,000 shares of 5s. each in Kay Yew (Kinta Valley) Tin Mines, Limited, have been posted.

THE WORLD'S WHEAT SUPPLIES.

Estimates recently published of large wheat crops in both Canada and the United States have caused a decline lately in the wheat market (writes *The Investors' Chronicle*). A short time ago an estimate of 450 million bushels as the probable Canadian crop was regarded as rather optimistic, but the latest estimate of the yield is nearer 460 million bushels. The final estimate of last year's crop was 410 million bushels, and the above estimate suggests that Canada is about to harvest one of its best crops in history. The official estimate of the United States wheat crop is now 861 million bushels, against 851 million bushels estimated a month ago, and comparing with a final official return for last year of 833,306,000 bushels. As regards the Continental crops, Germany is expected to do better than the very poor output recorded last year. The estimated yield of wheat is 2,900,000 tons, against 2,600,000 tons last year, while the rye crop is estimated to give an increase of over 1,000,000 tons at 7,600,000 tons. The Italian crops will probably be no better than they were last season, when they were poor, and both Germany and Italy appear likely to need to import large quantities of grain. With the new Argentine and Australian crops coming forward in a few months' time, the general outlook is that wheat and, consequently, bread will be anything but dear. Standard grade flour is now at its lowest for nearly two years.

INDUSTRIAL SHARE POSITION.

Strenuous efforts have been made during the past week to freeze out "weak" Bulls of industrial shares, with a fair amount of success (says the *Evening Standard*); probably on Monday there will be a last moment attempt to get out others by restricting carrying-over facilities. The rise in prices had certainly proceeded far enough, as regards the majority of shares, to discount their future a very long way ahead, and it may be in the interest of the public if further obstacles are placed in the way of continuing speculative commitments. Instances can, no doubt, be found where scope exists for a further rise in price, but it needs special knowledge to pick these out, and without the information it is like entering into a blind pool to buy industrial shares at current prices.

CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMERS.

The first of the four new 18,000-ton passenger and cargo steamers at present building for the Canadian Pacific will be launched on 21st November at the yards of W. Beardmore and Co., Clydebank, and will be christened the Duchess of Atholl. On 24th January, 1928, from the yards of John Brown and Co., Clydebank, one of the three steamers being constructed by that company will be launched, to be named the Duchess of Bedford. The first of the five 10,000-ton cargo steamers for the Canadian Pacific will be launched by Denny and Bros., Dumbarton. On 28th September, at the yards of Armstrong Whitworth and Co., Newcastle, another 18,000-ton steamer will be launched. Further Canadian Pacific steamers will be launched on 27th October and 8th November. The total tonnage of the vessels amounts to 135,000. The value of these contracts placed by the Canadian Pacific in British shipbuilding yards amounts to some five and a quarter million sterling.

RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA.

The New York correspondent of the *Investors' Chronicle* cables:—A definite improvement is noted in the business of the Radio Corporation of America. Every indication points to a satisfactory autumn and winter volume. This improvement reflects the pick-up throughout the industry as a result of the reallocation of stations by the Radio Commission, the termination of trouble-some litigation between the principal manufacturers and distributors, and the bringing out of better and cheaper receiving sets. It seems that, despite the very unfavourable first half-year's business, there will be a record country-wide radio business in the United States this year. Estimates for the industry as a whole place the gross business at $600,000,000, which would compare with $500,000,000 last year. For the first six months earnings of the Radio Corporation applicable to the 385,597 shares of $50 par preferred stock totalled $552,366, equivalent to $1.40 a share on that stock. This dividend requirement for the period is $1.75, so that it was not earned by 35 cents. From now on the company goes into its big volume, and this ought to be reflected in reports for the rest of the year.

RUSTPROOF STEEL.

The Krupp Company, as well as the United Steel Works Company, has acquired the English patents for the production of rust-free steel according to the Hamilton-Evans open-hearth process. This process has hitherto been unknown in Germany, and its greatest advantage is stated to be a reduction of prime costs. The American patents for the production of the "Armco" iron had been acquired by the United Steel Works Company in May last.

PAN-AMERICAN B SHARES.

A reduction in the quarterly dividend on Pan-American B shares was originally announced for the December quarter, but it was subsequently decided to make the reduction operative as from September 15.

(Continued from Preceding Column.)

pated that the declaration of $1, as against quarterly distributions of $1.50, from April, 1925, to June, 1927, had no adverse influence on the price of the shares; in other words, the cut in the dividend had already been fully discounted in the market. As a matter of fact, Pan-American B shares actually improved in New York following the announcement. Reasons for the cut in the quarterly dividend are not difficult to trace. In the first place, the net earnings of the Pan-American for the six months ended June 30 last are estimated at $11,000,000, including the share of the Lago Company's profits, or excluding the Lago's profits, $6,023,000. For the corresponding period of 1926 there was a net profit of $15,335,616, excluding the Lago, while for the first six months of 1925 the total was $16,539,000. The poor results for the first six months of the current year reflect the conditions prevailing in the oil industry in the United States, due to overproduction, which, in turn, has resulted in lower prices for crude and refined products.

RUBBER RESTRICTION TRIBULATIONS.

The *Manchester Guardian* states:—The obstinate and continued refusal of the price of rubber to obey the "thus far and no farther" of Mr. Amery is causing great searchings of heart among the restrictionists. It is fashionable at the moment to lay great stress upon the smuggling of rubber out of the British restricted into the Dutch unrestricted areas, from whence it can be exported while the old restrictions against unduly generous assessment and the system of "carrying over" export rights are still jealously voiced. We have no doubt whatever that these defects of the Stevenson scheme—defects, however, which are characteristic of protective legislation of this kind—have a great deal to do with the recent accumulation of stocks in London and the consequent fall in price, and that it is possible by tightening up the system to exercise a corresponding influence upon the London stocks. At the same time, we would suggest that the more efficiently the scheme is enforced the worse it will be for the British grower in the end. Five years' experience of a plan to stabilise the price of rubber which has permitted the price to fall to 8d. and to fall to 7d. is surely ought to be sufficient to convince most people of that. Those who were responsible for the scheme have made every imaginable mistake. They thought, wrongly, that by controlling the output from two-thirds of the total area of production they could control the price, and they made the fatal mistake of attempting to fix the price too high. They ignored the fairly patent probability that the unrestricted areas would increase their output to the utmost. They forgot that rubber could be used twice over, and that the methods of reclaiming it might be improved. And, forgetting or ignoring all these things, they did not even administer the scheme competently. The only result of going on with it will be to make matters worse. Why not recognise frankly that the only end to which the scheme can be working is that it is to be ineffective as to be fantastic?

DUBLIN STOCK EXCHANGE.

RISES AND FALLS OF THE WEEK.

The following are the rises and falls in active stocks and shares dealt in on Dublin Stock Exchange during the past week as compared with last price on September 16:—

RISES.

	Price Sept. 16.	Price Sept. 23.	
National Loan	96½	96¾	+¼
Compensation Stock	92½	93	+½
Land Bonds	92½	93	+½
Victory Bonds	83	83½	+½
India 3 p.c.	58½	59	+½
Hibernian Bank	7/-	7/7	+7d
Munster and Leinster	7/-	7/7	+7d
Provincial Bank	24½	24¾	+¼
Great Northern Ord.	30½	31½	+1
Do. Pref.	80	80½	+½
Alliance Gas	8/-	8/6	+6d
Brit. Amer. Tobacco	105/9	106/6	+6/3
British Celanese Pref.	31/6	31/9	+0/3
British Celanese Ord.	73/7½	83/9	+6/1½
Coats	56/6	56/7½	+0/3
Distillers Co. Ord.	53/9	56/9	+3/0
Dublin Tram Pref.	6½	6¾	+¼
Great Canal Pref.	56/9	70/0	+13/3
Goulding Pref.	67/9	70/0	+2/3
Irish Times 1st Pf.	73/6	73/0	+0/6
Provincial Tram Pref.	73/0	83/0	+10/0

FALLS.

	Price Sept. 16	Price Sept. 23.	
Tuskar Loan	97½	97¼	-¼
India 3½ p.c.	49½	49¼	-¼
National Bank	20/	20/-	-/-
Royal Bank	12/-	11/-	-1/-
Great Southern Ord.	19½	19	-½
Do. Pref.	40½	40½	-½
Do. Guar.	82	80	-2
Anglo-Persian Oil	23/0	22/3	-0/9
Brunners	40/0	38/0	-2/0
Bradford Dyers	46/3	45/11½	-0/1½
British Match Corp.	30/1½	29/10½	-0/3
Canadian Pacific Nom.	20/-	19/9	-0/3
Chemical Defd.	9/8	8/6	-0/3
Courtaulds	140/1½	139/7½	-0/6
Cuban Wilson Pref.	13/8½	13/0	-0/8½
Dublin Tram Ord.	21/0	20/0	-1/0
Grand Canal Ord.	58/0	54/0	-1/0
Galeacas	44½	43½	-1
Guinness Pref.	111	111	-1
Imperial Tobacco	104/6	104/3	-0/3
Irish Times 2nd Pf.	16/8	16/8	-0/3
Marconi	21/8	20/0	-1/8
Spencer Pref.	13/6	13/3	-0/3
Sterling Cotton	48/6	48/0	-0/6
Shells	20/3	20/0	-0/3
Tam Soap Rubber	8/3	8/3	-0/6

† Premium.

LONDON MONEY MARKET.

CREDITS UNLENDABLE.

NEW YORK EXCHANGE REACHES GOLD PARITY LEVEL.

Doubtless owing to heavy maturities of Treasury bills at the week-end, money was even more plentiful than it usually is on a Saturday, and while old loans were renewed at 5 to 3½ per cent., fresh advances over the week-end were offered at 3 down to 2 per cent. Weekly fixtures went on to 3½ per cent., but new loans into October commanded up to 4 per cent.

Bank Rate Discount (announced April 21) 1927. 4½%

30 days (final)	4¼	4⅛%
3 months	4⅛	4¼%
4 "	4⅛	4¼%
6 "	4⅛	4¼%
Loans to Bankers Day-to-Day		3½
" for a Week		3½
Deposit Allowances: Banks at Call		2½
" Discount Houses at Call		2½
" at Notice		2½%

The discount market was idle with rates unchanged. Five three months' commercial bills were called 4¼ per cent., and second-hand Treasuries were quoted at 4⅛ per cent.

The further sum of £32,000 in sovereigns for Spain was withdrawn from the Bank on Saturday. The £460,000 Cape gold due this week will not be dealt with until Wednesday owing to the Jewish holiday. The price of gold in the open market remains at 84s. 11½d. per ounce fine.

Silver further improved ½d. to 25½d. per ounce for both spot and forward delivery mainly owing to the absence of sellers.

In the foreign exchange market sterling rose to par parity, the New York rate touching 4.864, and closing at 4.86⅞. This exchange had not previously touched parity level since July, 1925. Continental gold rates also moved in favour of London, while Spanish pesetas continued to appreciate. South American and Far Eastern exchanges were steady.

	Sept. 24 Closing Rates	Sept. 23 Closing Rates	Par Rate
Amsterdam	12.19¾	12.18¾	12.10
Buenos Ayres	47⅞	47⅞	47⅝
Barcelona	27.74	27.76	27.90
Berlin	20.42½	20.42½	20.43
Brussels	34.06¾	34.06¾	34.90
Calcutta	1/6	1/6	1/-
Copenhagen	18.15¾	18.17	18.19
Italy	25.24¾	25.23¾	25.22½
Greece	3.66½	3.66	3.66
Helsingfors	192⅞	193¼	193.21
Japan	2/0¾	2/0¾	2/0¾
Lisbon	1/10⅛	1/10⅛	1/10⅛
Montreal	4.85	4.85⅛	4.86⅛
Montevideo	4.85	4.85⅛	4.86⅛
New York	4.86⅛	4.86⅛	4.86⅛
Norway	18.42	18.43	18.45
Paris	123.95	124.00	123.95
Prague	144	144	144
Roumania	3.60	3.60	3.60
Spain	19.09	19.09	19.16
Sweden	24.40	24.53	24.50
Switzerland	43	44	43
Shanghai	2/5	2/5	2/7
Singapore	2/3⅝	2/3⅝	2/3⅛
Vienna	18.09	18.09	18.16
Warsaw	34.40	34.53	34.50

SERVICE PETROLEUM COMPANY.

Well No. 311 at Gura Ocnitei has been brought in and is now producing 100 tons per day (700 barrels). The cleaning operations in the Prahovitza area, the production is expected to increase

BIG MARGARINE COMBINE.

JURGENS AND VAN DEN BERGHS.

EIGHT AND A HALF MILLIONS INVOLVED.

It was officially announced last Saturday that an important international syndicate has been formed, which has acquired the controlling interest in both the Jurgens and Van den Bergh undertakings in all countries. It is the intention to maintain the full individuality of each of the two concerns, but the close co-operation which will be brought about will undoubtedly greatly benefit them both.

The two companies, whose future fortunes are thus linked together, are the most important in the margarine industry. The capital involved amounts to many millions, the two British companies concerned accounting for £8,475,000, of which Van den Berghs' share is £3,475,000. Van den Berghs was formed in 1895 to unite the businesses of Van den Bergh Bros., of London, and Simon Van den Bergh, of Rotterdam, manufacturers of, and dealers in, margarine and other butter substitutes. Jurgens, Ltd., are margarine merchants working in conjunction with Anton Jurgens United Margarine Works, at Oss, Holland. Half the capital, that is all the Ordinary Shares, is held by the Dutch company.

For some time past the market has suspected that some deal of the kind was in preparation, and great activity has been seen in Van den Bergh Shares. The Deferred Ordinary, with a nominal value of 5s., reached £3 on Friday. The 5s. Preferred Ordinary, which carry a fixed dividend of 15 per cent., was quoted at 9s.

Only Jurgens 7 per cent. Preference Shares are quoted in London, the price for the £1 share being about 22s. The 7 per cent. dividend is guaranteed by the Dutch company, but the shares also have participating rights in any surplus profits.

MANCHESTER MARKETS REVIEW.

FROM OUR COMMERCIAL CORRESPONDENT.

In the provision trade the relative positions of bacon and butter are very interesting. While the butter market appears to be gaining strength, this has been counterbalanced by the unexpected slump in bacon. So far as the latter is concerned, those with an intimate knowledge of the trade were fully aware that lower prices would rule this week-end, and something in the neighbourhood of a ten shilling reduction was anticipated. The drop of fourteen shillings in Danish bacon came as a shock to many factors, but it must be borne in mind that, whilst shipments from that country and Sweden have shown slight decreases, the average arrivals for several weeks past have been up to the comparatively high standards maintained practically throughout the year. On the other hand, the cold, inclement weather prevailing in most butter-producing countries has caused a decrease in the flow of milk, and the quantity of butter turned out from the dairies is now declining week after week. There is a marked decline in the butter production in Ireland and Holland, and in fact all over the North of Europe, while stocks in reserve appear to be much smaller than at the corresponding period of last year. The non-arrival of expected shipments of Australian butter is also an important factor. Danish produce is stated to be eagerly sought by Continental buyers, and there is a heavy home demand due to the reasonable prices at the beginning of the present year. At Friday's market, Danish was quoted 206s. to 208s., against 186s. to 188s. at this time last year; Swedish 198s. to 200s., against 170s. to 174s.; Finnish 196s. to 198s., against 179s. to 181s.; Irish creameries 186s. to 188s., against 150s. to 154s. From the foregoing comparisons it will be seen that butter is from 20s. to 30s. per cwt. higher, as compared with this time last year. On the other hand, Irish bacon is about 20s. to 24s. Danish 25s., Swedish 22s. to 24s., and Dutch 18s. to 20s. lower. So far as eggs are concerned, firmer reports are coming in from all quarters, and with the seasonal decline in production the trend of prices is in an upward direction.

At Salford Cattle Market on Tuesday the stock penned was much larger than for some time past. The inclement weather was responsible no doubt for the absence of many buyers, and notwithstanding the fact that prices were on the easy side business generally ruled slow. Some lack of finish was noticeable in the cattle section, and as the year advances nice handy-weight lambs are becoming scarcer. The quality of the sheep offered was fairly well up to the average. There was a fairly good show of pigs at the Manchester market, but weather conditions have militated against business, and whilst there was no quotable change in prices, there was a leak in the direction of buyers. At the Manchester dead meat market business in both home-killed and imported meat has been rather quiet. The total imports of meat in August were 126,000 tons or 10,000 tons more than in August of last year. The Irish Free State continues to ship larger quantities of fresh pork, and has sent some 7,000 tons to date this year against about 5,000 tons in the corresponding months of each of the two preceding years. Both dead poultry and game meet a somewhat irregular trade.

TROPICAL PRODUCE MARKET LOWER.

FROM OUR COMMERCIAL CORRESPONDENT.

LIVERPOOL, Saturday.

There has been an easier tone about the market this week, and for most commodities lower prices have ruled. The decline, however, is not great, and the tone at the close is steadier than at one time seemed likely. In the palm oil section spot and near at hand material has been rather easier, but dealers have not been disposed to make concessions with regard to distant positions. Lagos afloat, and September-October in transit opened the week at £35, then eased 10s., only to return to the firmer level of £35 asked, though sellers would not refuse anything slightly under. Low fills arrived per the Salaga, varied between £34 2s. 6d. and £33 12s. 6d., with £33 5s. done at the close.

For October-November arrival £33 12s. 6d. has been paid. Softs and mediums on spot are lower by 15s. and 10s. per ton respectively, while the decline in hards and Sherbros is roughly 8s. 9d. For softs on the spot £33 5s. has been accepted, as against £33 17s. 6d. wanted at the beginning of the week. October-November arrival has sellers at £33 10s., with buyers at 5s. less, while November-December, after changing down to £33 12s. 6d., is now held slightly under this. For October-November £33 10s. would be taken, but the nearest offer is within 5s. of this. Home consumers have entered the market, only when cheap parcels have been offered, and it has been to Northern Continental ports that most of the business has been done. Arrivals for the moment seems satisfied, and little trading on her behalf is reported. Spot quotations of oil are as follows:—Lagos, £34 15s.; Sherbro, £33 15s.; Opobo, £33 5s.; Benin, £33 5s.; and Niger, £33 7s. 6d.

Palm kernels have met a fair trade, with values roughly 5s. per ton lower on the week, and which has brought values to this port more in line with the rest. Business at the beginning of the week took place in October-November and November-December shipment at £30 7s. 6d. and £30 5s. 3d. respectively, crushers buying at the lower level, and this level has generally held, though good orders have since been met at £30 5s. Hull consumers have put through a fair business at £30 7s. 6d. down to £30 5s. for September-October and October-November shipment, with further bids of £30 3s. 9d. at the close not accepted. The activity noted last week with the Northern Continent has not been maintained. Instead, the tone has been slack and easily influenced by the easier American markets. For October-November and November-December shipment £30 3s. 9d. has been accepted with Afloat and September shipment done at £30 2s. 6d. and 1s. 3d. less in each case offered for further business.

Copra has moved within narrow limits, shippers being more reserved and consumers less interested. For October-November shipment F.M.S. Straits the nearest value is £27 1s. 6d. To Marseilles kiln dried South Sea October-November shipment changed at £25 15s., while to Rotterdam same position £26 10s. was paid for F.M.S. Straits.

Ground nuts have lost ground all round. Nigerian old crop September-October shipment changed to Northern Continents at £22 18s. 6d., with further buyers at 5s. less. For new crop shippers quote £22 5s. November-December shipment and buyers 5s. less, but no business has been done. For material in the shell old crop Ruffisque is practically all disposed of, but new crop Marseilles paid £17 5s. for December shipment. Nuts oils have lost some of sale, despite lower levels, but refined oils remain firm, though unchanged in value.

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IRISH LIVE STOCK PRICES AT A GLANCE.

Appended is a table of prices obtained at certain Irish fairs and Dublin Cattle Market last week. It is compiled by our Agricultural Correspondent for the purpose of showing how values compare at different centres:—

Market or Fair.	Store Cattle, per cwt. Live Weight	Fat Cattle, per cwt. Live Weight.	Springers, per Head.	Milch Cows, per Head.	Fat Sheep, per Head.	Lambs, per Head
Dublin ...	35/- to 43/6	23/9 to 44/3	£20 to £30	£17 to £27	40/- to 70/-	30/- to 47/6
Belfast ...	...	30/3 to 50/3	£20 to £32	£18 to £29	40/- to 65/-	35/- to 57/-
Dungarvan ...	36/- to 39/-	18/- to 47/-	£11 15/- to £24 10/-	£16 to £19 10/-	20/- to 60/-	12/6 to 41/-
Rushworthy ...	37/- to 41/-	25/- to 40/-	£14 to £24 10/-	£13 to £23	42/- to 63/-	32/- to 44/-
Kinsale ...	36/- to 41/-	24/- to 44/-	£17 to £25	£16 to £23	45/- to 65/-	30/- to 47/6
Mullingar ...	35/- to 40/-	30/- to 40/-	£15 to £24	£13 to £22	58/- to 70/-	28/- to 58/-
Navan ...	36/- to 42/-	32/- to 42/-	£15 10/- to £25	£14 to £24 10/-	47/- to 52/-	32/- to 50/-
Odoestle ...	36/- to 42/-	34/- to 42/-	£18 10/- to £25	£17 to £20 10/-	42/- to 60/-	35/- to 60/-
Portadown ...	...	30/- to 43/-	£12 to £31	£11 10/- to £27	...	...
Naas	35/- to 39/-	26/- to 40/-	£15 to £26	£12 to £23	40/- to 60/-	30/- to 45/-

PRODUCE AND FOOD MARKETS.

CATTLE.

NORWICH.—Quotations were easier for beef, which was in large supply. Best quality made up to 11/6, other sorts ranged from 9/- to 10/6 per stone. Bulls and cows were also in short numbers, quoted £7 15/- to £8/6 per stone realised. A large display of English and Irish store cattle experienced a fair sale, month's end Irish quoted between £15 and £8 per head, while English changed hands at £26 for forward arrivals. Business dull for mutton, which was in moderate supply at 11/- to 12/- per stone. Sheep quoted up to £5/5/-. Calves plentiful, and met a slow trade, with quotations easier at £6 17/6. Veal offered at 1/1 per lb. Large supply of pigs. Fat pork ranged at 9½/- per stone. Few baps in request, at £8 17/6, and lot sows at £10 17/6. Strong stores were lower on 6/- to £1. Large supply of poultry. Fat pork in request, at market-Cattle, 1,723, sheep 974, pigs 624.

DONCASTER.—Large supplies, with improved demand for fat cows, which made up to £50, bullocks £18 to £21, heifers £12 to £16. Largest show of season for sheep and rams; moderate trade, lambs 40/- to 45/-, shearling ewes 66/- to 75/-, rams up to 10 guineas. Only slow demand for pigs; late prices ruling.

GRAIN.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES.—BALTIC.—WHEAT cargoes—White Pacific October-December sellers 49/9, January 50/, No. 1 Northern Manitoba shipment second half October 54/9, No. 2 ditto November 53/-, No. 3 ditto November 51/-, No. 2 hard winter white Kansas shipment second half October 50/3, January 52/, No. 2 red winter 48/6, Plate steamers 5,000 quarters afloat sellers 52/-, October 52/6, November 53/-, December 53/6, January 54/3, No. 4 yellow Argentine November 53/3, Rosario Plate afloat sold 51/6, September-October sellers 51/9, October-November sold 52/-, November-December quoted 52/7½, December-January sold 52/-. 4,620 lts. Plate steamers afloat sellers 52/-, October 52/6, November 53/-, December 53/3, January 54/3. No. 4 yellow Argentine November 53/3.

DUBLIN'S CIVIC WEEK ENDS.

CLOSING SCENES.

GREAT GATHERING AT MILITARY TATTOO.

Dublin's Civic Week celebrations come to an end with a dance in the Mansion House to-night. It is difficult to realise that this week the city goes back to its normal existence, that the brilliant lights will be dimmed, the flags hauled down, and the spirit of gaiety quenched as far as outward appearances go.

Saturday night was a jolly time in the city. The streets were crowded until midnight, with the throngs concentrating on and in the neighbourhood of O'Connell Bridge. The boat gala, with music and illuminations, on the river was even more successful than earlier in the week.

While so many thousands were promenading in the streets, there was an enormous gathering at the military tattoo at Lansdowne road. Those who had not booked seats had to struggle from seven o'clock to try to get in, and all the gates had to be closed before eight, with every available inch of standing or seating room occupied inside. The whole programme was again received with great enthusiasm, especially manifested when the green-uniformed infantry appeared at the end of the historical presentation of the fighting men of Ireland.

Another popular addition to the night's festivities was the appearance of a couple of aeroplanes from Baldonnel Aerodrome. Brilliantly illuminated, they looked very pretty in the night sky. The pilots were greeted with an enormous roar of applause as they swooped down over the arena at Lansdowne road.

The fine exhibition of pictures brought together in the Metropolitan School of Art for Civic Week will be open to the public for the next three weeks.

HISTORICAL PAGEANT.

THE SPECIAL MATINEE.

With approximately two thousand five hundred children and their parents filling the great Round Room of the Mansion House, the special matinée performance of the Historical Pageant was presented on Saturday. As each tableau of the thirty-six was presented, the children all stood up, and their excited exclamations were very pleasant to hear.

In the intervals between the tableaux they were impressed by the measured intonations of Mr. Lyell Donaghy's voice as he related to them in brief the chequered history of their country.

Mr. Herbert Bailey, A.R.S.M., the pageant master, who staged the tableaux, is to be congratulated on the great success of his efforts.

Two sketches, "The Feast's First Carving," by Seamus MacCall, and "A Country Ceilidhe," arranged by Gearoid O'Lochlainn and produced by Madame Barnard Cogley, were also presented.

The pageant orchestra, under the direction of Miss Irene Nabarro, L.R.I.A.M., played some delightful pieces. Mr. Sean O'Beirne was a capable accompanist.

AN IRISH NIGHT

LARGE ATTENDANCE

The Civic Week Ceilidhe held in Clery's Ballroom, Dublin, on Saturday night, was an outstanding success. There was an attendance of over 800 people, many of whom were present in Irish costumes that lent colour and bright movement to an animated gathering. Only Gaelic songs were sung and Irish dances danced. It was organised in a very efficient manner by the Gaelic Athletic Association, the Gaelic League, the Civil Service Cumann Gaedhealach.

A very enjoyable night was spent by all, and it was anticipated that the ceilidhe will become an established institution to be held weekly.

Musical items were contributed by Mr. Arthur Darley (violin), Miss May Mortell (songs), Miss Peggy Medlar's pupils (dancing), and Denis Cox (songs). A short play was presented by Gearoid O'Lochlainn, Una Ni Lochlainn, Leon O'Broin, and Tadg Mac Firbisigh.

Among those present were:—General Eoin O'Duffy, Chief Commissioner of the Civic Guard; Cormac Breathnach, President Gaelic League; General R. Mulcahy, Minister for Local Government, and Mrs. Mulcahy; Senator Colonel Moore, Superintendent P. Delany, Civic Guard; W. P. Clifford, President, G.A.A.; Sean T. O Ruane, President Connacht Council, G.A.A.; Dr. Fay, Miss Beatrice Toal, Mr. and Mrs. K. Reddin, Mr. O. G. Esmonde, T.D.; Mr. P. J. Little, T.D., and Mrs. Little; Miss M. Byrne, B.I.A.; F. E. Stephens, Seumas Brennan, Diarmuid Crowley, Dr. and Mrs. O'Kelly, and Tomas O Murgheasa, M.A., Registrar-General.

FRENCH "QUEENS" DEPART.

Mlle. Pelou, the Beauty Queen of France, and Mlle. Lesage, Beauty Queen of Paris, left Kingstown by the mail boat on Saturday night *en route* for Paris.

Miss Beatrice Toal, the Dublin Queen of Beauty, and her maids-in-waiting, Miss Lamb and Miss Cullen, accompanied by Mr. F. Cremins, representing Commissioner Murphy, saw the French "Queens" aboard the mail boat at Kingstown, and bade them *bon voyage*.

THEIR FAREWELL MESSAGE.

Before their departure Mlle. Pelou and Mlle. Lesage addressed a message to Mr. Seumas Murphy, City Commissioner and President of the Dublin Civic Week Council, in which they said:—

"Before leaving your pleasant country and gay and beautiful city, Dublin, where we have passed so interesting a ten days, and where we have been received by all the city, and particularly by the Committee and yourself, in a manner so expressive, so touching and so cordial, allow us to express to you our deep gratitude.

"We shall always keep in our hearts the very pleasant memory of your festival. We shall tell all our friends in France of the beauties and richness of your dear country, the amiability and exceptional courtesy of Irishmen, the grace and charm of our Irish sisters, many of whom we hope to welcome in Paris; and, for yourself, our expression of deep gratitude."

They added an appreciation of the attention and courtesy they had received from the management of the Gresham Hotel, of which they were the guests during their stay in Dublin.

"MILITARY DISPLAYS."

A CRITICISM OF CIVIC WEEK.

Miss R. Jacob, one of the honorary secretaries of the Irish Section of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, writes:—"While we welcome the spirit underlying the various displays and the historical and educational pageants of Civic Week, and while we heartily congratulate those responsible for the initiation of the function, we wish to say a word in deprecation of the undue prominence given to military displays. These displays are in reality a glorification of the war spirit; they lend glamour to militarism, inasmuch as they tend to present military life and preparations for war in a falsely attractive light, especially to the eyes of youth, and thus give to the growing generation, on whom the future depends, a bias in favour of military ideals which may have serious consequences to the nation and the world. Attempts are being made in many countries to make war attractive in the eyes of the young; let us beware of following such a course, even by indirect paths."

THE WINDOW-DRESSING RESULTS.

In publishing the results of the window-dressing competition we omitted to mention that the judge was Mr. Willson, and the Hon. Director Mr. W. E. Magill. Mr. Willson is President of the British Association of Display Men, and Mr. Magill Secretary of the Grafton street Traders' Association.

DERRY OPERA HOUSE SOLD.

The Derry Opera House has been sold, but the names of the new proprietors have not been stated. It is proposed to carry on the Opera House as one of the most up-to-date theatres in the North of Ireland.

The theatre will be reconstructed, redecorated and refurnished.

GOOD FAT STOCK SCARCE.

TRADE IN BRITAIN.

In the British live stock markets cattle have been forward in greater numbers during the week. Choice well finished beasts are not plentiful, and where offered meet a ready sale at from 60s. to 65s. per live cwt. For the bulk of the entry, however, demand is very slow, and average rates for first and second quality cattle are lower at 49s. and 42s. 11d. per live cwt.

Increased entries of fat sheep showing a lack of bloom, due to the wet weather, are reported at many centres. Demand generally is steady, but any excess over normal supplies tends to lower prices. First quality Downs and Crossbreds average 12½d. per lb.

Fat pigs have been marketed in fuller supply, but the recent improvement in rates is not held, and average quotations for first quality baconers and porkers are lower at 10s. 6d. and 11s. 9d. per 14 lbs. stone respectively.

Moderate offerings of veal calves are rather cheaper at 12½d. per lb. for first quality.

Store Stock.—Dairy cattle have been shown in good supply, and useful cows in profit meet a ready sale at firm rates, but inferior grades are difficult to clear.

Light pitchings of store cattle experience a dull inquiry, only choice lots of fresh beasts meeting with any competition, and prices where altered tend in buyers' favour.

The store sheep sales held during the week have been well attended, and, with a steady demand, good clearances are reported at firm to hardening rates for young ewes and lambs.

Store pigs have been penned in good supply, and are in fair demand, but prices are variable, and reductions are recorded at many centres.

The moderate offerings of rearing calves are in less request and cheaper on the week.

Exports of live stock from Ireland to Great Britain and the Isle of Man were as follows:—

For the week ended	Sept. 17/'27	Sept. 18/'26
Fat Cattle	7,852	5,247
Store Cattle	5,641	8,637
Milch Cows	4,334	757
Springers	309	318
Calves	440	328
Total Cattle	15,382	15,366
Fat Sheep	17,664	13,366
Store Sheep	154	150
Lambs	3,079	3,352
Fat Pigs	8,684	4,993

CIVIC WEEK MUSIC.

BEETHOVEN'S CHORAL SYMPHONY.

The Civic Week musical festival afforded a welcome excuse for renewal of the combination, so successful at the Beethoven centenary celebration, of the Dublin Philharmonic Society with the Dublin Symphony Orchestra in Beethoven's Ninth Symphony. That work was the major part of the concert given at the Theatre Royal last Saturday afternoon. The orchestra, which included *personnel* of the Army School of Music and was conducted by Colonel Fritz Brase, was heard separately in a stirring performance of Beethoven's "Leonora" No. 3 Overture. The choral body, conducted by Mr. J. Turner Huggard, had prepared for this occasion a set of part-songs by Dublin composers. Replacing the choruses from the Mass in D which had figured in the Beethoven celebration, the singing of these part-songs accorded with the Civic Week emphasis of Dublin achievements. The list deserves record. It was as follows:—"At the mid-hour of night" (arr. J. F. Larchet), "Glen of Aherlow" (T. H. Weaving), "The Witch" and "Valentine's Day" (C. V. Stanford), "Whene'er I see those smiling eyes" (arr. G. H. P Hewson), "The Fairies" (G. Molyneux Palmer), "The Shepherdess" (H. R. White), and "Irish Reel" (arr. T. R. G Jozé). Mr. Huggard secured spirited performances of the part-songs. His choir, though large and capable of producing when necessary a fine big body of tone, was also admirably delicate in detail.

The performance of the symphony was not less impressive than that given in the spring of this year. Even those who had heard the former performance could not fail to be stirred again. The quartet of soloists—Madam Lilian Swann, Mrs. Norah Lough, Mr. William Mulcahy, and Mr. Patrick J. Duffy—did their work splendidly; and it is to be doubted if ever there was a finer *ensemble* heard in Dublin than that which we heard in the final movement of the Ninth Symphony last Saturday. It was plain that Colonel Brase's conception of the work was perfectly lucid, and that effect was given to that conception. Under his guidance the Symphony moved steadily to a powerful climax.

A large audience had assembled for the occasion, and at the conclusion remained long to acclaim the conductor and the performers as a whole. Mr. Huggard, who had prepared the choral part of the work, was given his share of the acclaim. Civic Week music concluded thus on a proud note. The festival should have given heart to the promoters and to the organisations that have been concerned in it. It seems likely that we are to see in the future a degree of musical activity exceeding that of past years. Big things can be accomplished by co-operation, and it is to be hoped that the prospect will not be spoiled by divisions. The opportunity of drawing on the Army School of Music for wind instrument players, who, by reason of their occupation and training, have special fitness for difficult orchestral work, was of special value on Saturday. If these musicians are not to be utilised for Dublin orchestral productions, the scope and standard of local performances will be reduced below what is possible. It is rumoured that attempts were made, in connection with Saturday's concert, to prevent the use of Army *personnel*. It is to be hoped that difficulties in this connection will be surmounted, for the co-operation of the Army players is necessary for progress.

LIVERPOOL'S CIVIC WEEK

PICTURESQUE CEREMONIAL IN THE RAIN.

"Liverpool's Civic Week has started. May Liverpool prosper. May she go on from strength to strength, and be an ever-increasing source of pride to her fine and patriotic citizens," said the Lord Mayor, in the proclamation which he read at the official opening at the Liverpool Town Hall entrance on Saturday of Liverpool's Civic Week.

The weather was good at the opening ceremony. The rain ceased for just about five minutes while the proclamation was read, but immediately after the Lord Mayor (who was accompanied by the Lady Mayoress, Sir Leslie Scott, K.C., M.P., and Mr. F. J. Marquis, Chairman of the Liverpool Organisation Committee) had entered his coach the rain poured down in torrents.

At Clayton square, Liverpool's flower centre, a group of flower sellers, in quaint old English costume, waited in a deluge of rain under gaily coloured umbrellas. The girls gave the Lord Mayor and Lady Mayoress a hearty welcome. One of them presented a shower bouquet of roses to the Lady Mayoress, who expressed her delight at the gift, and presented each girl with a silver souvenir brooch.

Sir Alan Cobham, at a lunch at the Town Hall in his honour, said that they must regard aviation as a utility proposition. Whether it paid or not did not matter if it was going to benefit the country. They asked for an aerodrome in every town, and a site now costing a few thousand pounds would probably be worth a million pounds 20 or 30 years hence, which was the period to which they had to look forward.

The Lord Mayor, who is a big ship-owner, said that he believed that in time aviation would be a competitor to the railway and steamship.

DEPARTURE OF AMERICAN WARSHIP.

The United States warship Detroit (Vice-Admiral Burrage), flagship of the American Fleet in European waters, left Dublin at 11.30 o'clock yesterday morning for Belfast. The American seamen's stay in Free State waters for the past week was very much enjoyed, and the commanding officer and the other officers and crew expressed their warm appreciation of the kindly manner in which they had been entertained and treated during what they described as their too brief stay in Dublin Harbour.

The Detroit arrived at Belfast last night on a six days' visit.

THE ALLOCATION OF SCHOLARSHIPS.

DECISION OF FERMANAGH COMMITTEE.

STUDENTS TO CHOOSE OWN UNIVERSITY.

The battle of the Universities, North and South, was carried a step further at the monthly meeting of the County Fermanagh Regional Committee, when the Committee were allocating the scholarships. The three students who obtained highest marks in the senior leaving certificate were proposed by Mr. J. P. Gillin—Miss Margaret B. Teague, Lack; James P. Corrigan and John P. Flynn, of Enniskillen—and the proposition was carried unanimously.

Mr. A. Anderson, J.P., said that the question now arose: Where were these scholarships to be tenable? He was strongly in favour of their being tenable at Queen's University, Belfast.

Chairman (the Earl of Belmore, D.L.)—No; wherever the candidate prefers, I should say.

Mr. Anderson—Queen's University has a right to support from us.

Chairman—Why should we support it any more than any other University?

Mr. Anderson—If we do not support it, I do not know how we can ever expect it to become a great University.

Mr. Gillin said that the student had the right to choose his own University—even one in Germany.

Mr. Anderson said that he would propose that the scholarships be held at Queen's. He had a right to propose that.

Chairman—Why force them into one University?

Mr. Anderson—Because it is our own University.

Chairman—It is not.

Mr. Anderson said that it was, and they supported it with their own money by capitation grant—though it is a very small grant.

Chairman—Quite enough.

Mr. Thomas Elliott, J.P., said that they now had a little colony or kingdom of their own, and they should, therefore, support their own university.

Chairman—I cannot sit in the chair if a proposition of that sort is passed.

Mr. Anderson asked would the Chairman take his proposition, which was quite legal and in order, and the Chairman said that it would require a notice of motion.

Mr. Anderson persisted in his motion, which was seconded by Dr. Johnston.

Mr. Gillin protested.

MINISTRY'S LETTER.

The Secretary read the last letter from the Ministry on the question of where scholarships were tenable, in which it was stated: "The County Fermanagh scholarship scheme, which has received the approval of the Ministry, provides that university scholarships will be tenable in a university approved of by the Committee. There is no limitation in this which would preclude the Committee from approving, for this purpose, Trinity College, Dublin, or, indeed, any university situated in the Irish Free State."

Mr. Anderson said that, that being so, he would propose the Queen's, Belfast, and there were cries of approval from other members of the Committee.

The Chairman said that when the university scheme was originally framed by Mr. Gillin and his friends when they were in power, Protestants were allowed to choose whatever university they liked, but Roman Catholics were confined to one university—the National University. That was quite unfair, and he always wanted to get that changed.

Mr. Anderson said that, so far as the Chairman had raised the religious question, he understood that there were in Queen's University Roman Catholic professors. What objection, then, had Roman Catholics to go to Queen's? If they sent Protestant scholars to Trinity College, Dublin, they might as well object, because there were Roman Catholic professors in Trinity. What was the difference?

Mr. Gillin stated that the first three students that day happened to be Roman Catholics. Mr. Anderson's resolution was purely and simply one to send them to a University to which they did not want to go. These students wanted to go to the National University in Dublin.

Chairman—When you were in power, you confined Roman Catholic students to go to the National University, and would not let them go to Trinity.

Mr. Gillin—But the others could go where they wished.

Chairman—Yes, ours could; but the others had to go to the National University.

Mr. Gillin—But Mr. Anderson's motion is to push these students to Belfast, and they do not want to go there.

Mr. Anderson pointed out that they had no expression of opinion from any of the students that they did not want to go to Belfast.

Mr. Gillin (warmly)—It would satisfy some people better not to give scholarships to any of these three students. That would be the decent way, and go out straight.

Mr. Thomas Elliott, J.P., said that they already had Roman Catholic students from the county in Queen's University.

CHAIRMAN'S OPINION.

The Chairman said that these Universities should be open to all religions. The more Roman Catholics to go to Trinity College, Dublin, and Queen's, Belfast, the better; and the more Protestants that go to the National University the better. He had nothing against the Queen's, which was one successful monument to Mr. Birrell's administration in Ireland.

Mr. Anderson—When we are giving scholarships, we also have the power to say what college we send them to.

Chairman—Is your motion that these three particular students go to Queen's University, or that all for the future are to go there?

Mr. Anderson—I am not prepared to answer that.

Mr. Gillin—Seeing that it was three Roman Catholics who have taken first place, the decent way is to give them nothing, because they are Roman Catholics.

Chairman—That would be honest.

Mr. Anderson disclaimed all knowledge of the religion of the candidates except one, a young lady, and he actually proposed her himself.

Other members expressed their view that any money they spent should be confined to the North, and not spent in the Free State, while others supported the view that candidates should choose their own University.

After a very long discussion, a vote was taken, and Mr. Anderson's motion was defeated by eight votes (six Protestant and two Roman Catholic) to seven votes, and the Chairman, declaring the motion defeated, said that the students could choose any University that they wished.

INVASION OF DUBLIN.

THIRTY SPECIAL TRAINS BRING 25,000 VISITORS.

Thirty special trains brought upwards of 25,000 visitors to Dublin yesterday in connection with the football match between Kerry and Kildare. In addition, many more thousands of visitors came from far and near by motor omnibus and other vehicles, with the result that the streets literally thronged with people, both before and after the contest. Between eight and nine thousand trippers were landed at the Kingsbridge terminus. Some six thousand people arrived at Broadstone Station, and, by the Great Northern Railway between seven and eight thousand came to the city. Special trains also arrived at Westland Row and Harcourt street.

THE DERRY FATAL FIRE.

CORPORATION ASK FOR EVIDENCE.

The Londonderry Town Clerk has issued a notice stating that the Corporation Committee of Inquiry into the circumstances in connection with the Butcher street fire, when seven people lost their lives, invite all or any persons who are in a position to give details as to the facts in connection with the fire to forward a statement of such details in writing, more particularly as to:—

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(2) The approximate hour of arrival of the brigade at the scene of the fire.

And also to attend the inquiry in support of their details.

SPORTING GOSSIP.

South Pole Sold.

Mr. H. M. Hartigan has sold South Pole, aged, by Southanne out of Lady Madcap, to Signor Corbello, of Milan. A versatile performer, South Pole won three hurdle races this year, and last season scored over fences and on the flat.

Lough Erne.

A return kept by Colonel W. H. Barton, D.L., of trout caught by him this season at the Waterfoot inn, W. any means the best trouting on Lough Erne, shows that he killed 60 trout during the dapping season over a pound and a quarter, and, during the artificial fly season 29 trout just under twenty ozs.

C. C. Dacre for Gloucester.

It is stated that C. C. Dacre, the brilliant New Zealand cricketer, whose fierce hitting created such enthusiasm during the recent tour, has signed an agreement to qualify for Gloucestershire. He will return to England early in the spring. As his father was educated in Gloucester, Dacre has some connection with the county.

Baseball Results.

The following are the results of the principal baseball matches played last Saturday in the United States:—National League—Pittsburgh 0, New York 3; Cincinnati 1, Brooklyn 0; Cincinnati 3, Brooklyn 5; St. Louis 4, Boston 3; Chicago 10, Philadelphia 2. American League—New York 6, Detroit 0; Philadelphia 4, Cleveland 3; Philadelphia 3, Cleveland 4; Washington 5, St. Louis 2; Boston 3, Chicago 0.

Irish Horses for Abroad.

Kaboonga and Koonnur, two three-year-old fillies, having been sold by Mrs. Dawson to Mr. W. J. Hilliard, have left the Curragh for India.

Racehorse Fatally Injured.

Bachelor's Hobby, five years, by Tredennis out of Bachelor's Beauty, received fatal injuries when he fell in the Autumn Plate at Leopardstown on Saturday last.

Blancona Returning from U.S.A.

George Blackwell, the Newmarket trainer, has returned home from America. He states that, although Mr. Sanford's 'chaser Blancona was unable to compete in the American Grand National, the horse is thoroughly sound and is already on his way back to England. Ted Leader, who was to have ridden Blancona, is due to return on the Berengaria.

Newmarket Trials.

The following trials took place at Newmarket yesterday morning:—S. Darling's Foundation Stone, 1; Garmick, 2; Fire Curtain, 3, and Tu Quoque 4. Distance 5½ furlongs. Won by a neck, four lengths dividing second and third. S. Darling's Ice Mark, 1; Hermit II., 2, and Sister-in-Law colt (Elliott) 3. Distance 5 furlongs. Won by a neck; a bad third.

Blaenavon v. Cardiff Match Abandoned.

Welsh Rugby generally has been badly hit financially owing to the tide of depression. Blaenavon being especially unfortunate. Consequently, they have decided to abandon their game with Cardiff, which was due to be played at Blaenavon to-day, rather than risk the guarantee which would be due to the visitors.

Cap-a-Pie Recovered.

The Cesarewitch candidate Cap-a-Pie, who recently met with a slight mishap, has recovered completely. At Newmarket on Saturday he was sent a good pace gallop of one mile and a quarter with Jacob and Candlemas. Ridden by Freeman he strode out freely and well, giving the greatest satisfaction.

1,000 Guineas for a Plater.

The performance of King's Colour in the Two-Year-Old Selling Plate at Newbury on Saturday created such a good impression, that after some lively bidding the gelding was sold to Mr. A. Cotsrill for 1,000 guineas.

American Polo.

A hard-riding Sandspoint team, with T. Hitchcock, of the victorious United States Westchester Cup team as their star at No. 2, on Saturday, at Westbury, defeated the United States Army team in the Open Championship series, by 13 goals to 10.

Cambridgeshire Favourite Goes Well.

At Newmarket on Saturday R. Day gave the Cambridgeshire favourite, Welsdorn, a rousing pace gallop of nine furlongs with Blueberg. He is making fine progress in his preparation for the big race.

Cesarewitch Gallops.

There were some good gallops of Cesarewitch horses at Newmarket on Saturday. Clout gave Masked Ruler a rattling pace gallop of two miles, Sun God II. going with him for the first mile and a quarter; Colonial Boy jumped in after they had gone the first six furlongs, and continued to the end of the spin. A. Saddler's (junior) Ballynahinch was accompanied by Port Arthur in a striding pace gallop of a mile. Walter Griggs's Adieu moved in grand style in a good pace gallop of two miles with Happy Greetings (Skelton). To ensure a fast pace, Maris Rocket and Lynmouth brought them along the first mile. B. Jarvis's Bessborough had a rattling pace gallop of nearly two miles. In all probability Bessborough will run in the Nottingham Handicap next Monday, previous to taking part in the Cesarewitch.

HANDBALL.

LEINSTER SENIOR FINALS.

At the Civic Guards Depot court yesterday, Dublin (M. Joyce and C. Ryan, D.M.G.), and Kilkenny (J. Hickey and J. Burke, Urlingford), met in the second half of the G.A.A. Leinster Senior soft-ball championship, the Metropolitans holding the lead by four games to two from the first portion played in Urlingford.

The play in the opening game, although every ace was contested, was scrappy, due to uncertain foothold on a damp floor. Dublin established a good lead to 17, but a series of faulty strokes gave their opponents a chance to get to 13. Dublin rallied and won the game for the lead of 5-2. The style of play of Ryan and Joyce, volleying overhead, livened the pace, and they seldom attempted to kill, except when in position, this having the effect of providing longer exchanges on each ace. The Kilkenny pair were frequently outplaced, and did not seem to have a good understanding, as Burke, who reached the final of the Leinster Senior Singles championship, was spoiled on a number of occasions by his partner crossing over.

The visitors reached 12-all in the second game by determined play, but the volleying of Joyce, and the courtcraft of Ryan put them in arrears, Dublin forging ahead to win the game. With the advantage of 6-2 in games, Dublin played confidently, leading off 11-1, and, although the visitors tried hard, they could make no impression, Dublin winning the final three games by 21-13, 21-15, 21-5.

This match was followed by the opening portion (six games) of the Leinster Senior hard ball doubles championship between Dublin (T. J. O'Reilly and T. Soye), and Kildare (G. Roche and J. Foley, Athy). After four games had been played in the second game, all of which were won by Dublin, a shower left the court unfit for further play. The second half will be played in Athy. Scores—21-10, 21-11, 21-10, 21-7.

CHESS.

CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE WORLD.

The eyes of all chess players were turned last week to Buenos Aires, where Capablanca and Alekhine have begun their match for the world's championship. It is unfortunate that the cabled accounts should be so imperfect, and even so far as the first game is concerned, unintelligible. It is clear that Alekhine won after 43 moves. For the rest one must be content with intelligent surmise and guarded inference.

With this reserve, it may be said that Capablanca, playing White, adopted the Queen's Kt. opening in reply to Alekhine's offer of the French Defence. At the third move, Alekhine played B—Kt. 5, which (as he tells us in "My Best Games") "is [illegible] better than its reputation." How he managed to outplay the Champion in the next 40 moves one dare not attempt to say until some authentic score of the game is available on this side of the Atlantic, but the challenger made an auspicious start by fixing the initial score at—Capablanca, 0; Alekhine, 1.

The second game was abandoned by consent after 19 moves aside. The third game was adjourned in a position which promised a win for Capablanca. So stood the fortunes of the match on Saturday.

The latest cable message, of Sunday's date, shows, however, that Alekhine by a supreme effort retrieved the situation and drew. The severity of his task may be judged from the fact that he spent 45 minutes over one move, a serious encroachment on the allotted time of one hour for fifteen moves. In this contest drawn games count for nothing.

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In the World's Chess Championship to-day, Capablanca drew with Alekhine after [illegible] moves. Capablanca was unwilling to surrender the advantage which he claimed to see, a slight advantage, but he was unable to prevent Alekhine from restoring the equilibrium.

NEW ZEALAND CHESS PLAYER FOR LONDON.

WELLINGTON, NEW ZEALAND, Sunday.

Mr. J. B. Dunlop, one of the strongest of the New Zealand chess players, has left for London, where he will participate in the British Easter Championships.—(Reuter.)

MOTOR CAR ON FIRE.

Between 8 and 9 o'clock last Saturday night a motor car which was being filled with petrol in Amiens street, Dublin, caught fire. The blaze was extinguished before serious damage was done to the vehicle.

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GOLF.

THE PUBLIC GOLF COURSE.

An interesting announcement in reference to the proposed public golf course for Dublin appears on Page 6.

CLUB NOTICES AND REPORTS.

PORTMARNOCK.—September Medals (bogey). Class 1—G. L. Jameson (rec. 7), 2 down; P. T. Ryan (rec. 3), 2 down; H. A. Boyd (rec. 2), L. J. Smyth (rec. 6), M. P. Dawson (rec. 5), all 3 down. Class 2—H. Plant (rec. 10), J. A. Ryan (rec. 12), W. Anderson (rec. 15), all 3 down; C. Stack (rec. 6), 4 down.

ROYAL DUBLIN.—A. E. Walker (7), 74; H. A. Britain (12), 74; L. R. Shildrick (8), 74; M. J. Ryan (9), 75; E. L. Kidd (4), 76; B. S. Quin (10), 77; T. Hughes (12), 77; *Fergus O'Connor (1), 77; D. Glynn (13), 77. *Best gross.

DUN LAOGHAIRE (Kingstown) (Ladies).—Prize presented by Mrs. Jackson for Silver Division—Mrs. M. E. McCormick (12), 82; Mrs. Hayes (8), 85. Prize presented by Mrs. Triston for Bronze Division—Mrs. Tyndall (25), 85; Mrs. W. G. McCormick (32), 86. Thursday, 29th September—Mrs. Hargrave's prize, 18 holes, strokes, scr. to 26 and 27 to 28. Draw at 10.30 and 11, and 2 and 2.30.

THE ISLAND, MALAHIDE.—September 28th—Ladies' singles, strokes, for club prizes. Monthly medal, strokes, on the same day. Semi-open mixed foursomes, eclectic, October 1st. Post entries. Arrange opponents for all competitions.

GALWAY.—Men's singles—Major Holmes, 5 up; M. J. Kennedy, all square. Men's Open—T. Kyne 74; M. J. O'Kane, 74; F. Lenihan, 75 (best gross). Ladies' Singles—Miss Redington winner, Miss Begley runner-up. Mixed Foursomes—D. Sweeney and Miss M. Tennant, 75; G. Palmer and Mrs. Braund, 80. Men's Four-ball—Dr. T. Walsh and P. O'Beirne, 9 up; three couples tied for second. Ladies' Four-ball—Mrs. Braund and Miss Redington, all square; Miss Begley and Miss Tennant. Canoamoo Cup (Men)—First Round—N. Allen beat Dr. Harris; Oswald Brown beat G. O'Connor; F. Lenihan beat Major Brooke-Leggett; M. Kennedy beat Colonel Joyce. Second Round—Brown beat Allen; Kennedy beat Brooke-Leggett. Final—Kennedy beat Browne. Meldon Cup (Ladies)—First Round—Miss Cassidy beat Miss B. Tennant; Mrs. Braund w.o., Mrs. Waithman scr.; Mrs. Tighe w.o., Mrs. Bell scr.; Miss Redington beat Miss Begley. Semi-final—Mrs. Braund beat Miss Cassidy; Miss Redington beat Mrs. Tighe. Final—Miss Redington beat Mrs. Braund.

FOXROCK.—Commencing Friday next, Mixed Foursomes, match play, arrange partners. Entries close at 6 p.m. Wednesday.

R. AND A. DISTINCTION FOR MAJOR HEZLET.

The Championship Committee of the Royal and Ancient Club, St. Andrews, announces that, in response to an invitation from the South African Golf Union, a team of four amateurs will be sent out to the colony this winter.

It will be captained by R. H. de Montmorency, and the other members will be Cyril Tolley, Major C. O. Hezlet (Royal Portrush G.C.), and Captain A. G. Pearson.

THE AMERICAN LADIES' CHAMPIONSHIP.

Mrs. Horn (Kansas City) last Saturday became the holder of the United States Ladies' Championship. On the first half of the thirty-six holes' final, played at Cherry Valley, Garden City, N.Y., Mrs. Horn gained a lead of two holes over Miss Orcutt (White Beeches), and the margin in her favour was 5 and 4.

GOLFERS will find much to interest them in the weekly Golfing Article in *The Irish Field*. Published every Saturday. Price 2d.—(Advt.)

NATIONAL ARMY BOXING.

PLANS FOR COMING SEASON.

In preparation for the forthcoming National Army Boxing Championships, which are fixed for the end of November, but which may be brought forward a few weeks, there is much activity in the G.H.Q. Command District. The Boxing Sub-Committee, which includes Colonel J. Byrne, Commandant T. Ryan and Sergeant J. F. Kiely, at a recent meeting decided that each unit within the Command must hold eliminating tournaments for the Command Championships. These will not be regarded as novices' tournaments, but will be held for the purpose of procuring the best talent in each unit before the Command Championship stage is reached.

These tournaments must be completed before 15th October, as the Committee has provisionally fixed the Championships for 26th October, at the Riding School, McKee Barracks. The winners of the Command Championships will, with those who, even defeated, have shown promise, be trained under a competent trainer for the All-Army Championships.

Colonel Byrne mentioned the difficulty at present which the units' committees have in procuring capable officials, and added that this difficulty need not now hinder progress, as, on application to the sub-committee, names of competent officials will be supplied.

A question which engaged the committee's attention was that dealing with beginners, and many useful suggestions were put forward. It was decided to run novice competitions every month during the winter. Winners will not be eligible to compete in the ensuing competitions as novices, but will be matched later in other bouts. By this means the committee hope to bring along all available talent.

The question of co-operation by club secretaries was emphasised, and a full attendance of delegates from the various units is requested at the next meeting at 4 p.m. in McKee Barracks on Monday, 3rd October.

LAWN TENNIS.

FRENCH PLAYERS RETURN FROM AMERICA.

M. Pierre Gillou, the non-playing captain of the victorious French team, which won the Davis Cup from the United States, in company with Henri Cochet, whose triumph in the final match of the tie contributed so much to that success, arrived at Plymouth from America on Saturday. They carried with them on board the French liner France the international trophy which the United States had held for the past seven years.

The other members of the team—Rene Lacoste, J. Brugnon, Jean Borotra—will spend another week or fortnight in America.

GLENEAGLES TOURNAMENT.

The holders of the Scottish Doubles Championship, W. A. R. Collins and I. G. Collins, were defeated by H. W. Austin and J. Lezard in the semi-final of the Men's Doubles at Gleneagles on Saturday.

In the final of the Singles I. G. Collins beat Austin in straight sets—6-3, 6-4. In the final of the Women's Singles Miss M. V. Chamberlain beat Mrs. Satterthwaite, the holder—6-1, 3-6, 6-2.

In the final of the Men's Doubles J. Hillyard and C. H. Kingsley beat Austin and Lezard, who retired after losing the first set. Mrs. Satterthwaite and Mrs. V. O. Marsh won the Women's Doubles, when in the final they beat Hon. Mrs. Corbett and Miss M. Grimond—6-4, 6-3.

J. Lezard and Miss Chamberlain beat I. G. Collins and Miss M. Grimond—6-2, 3-6, 6-4 in the final of the Mixed Doubles.

I. G. Collins won the "Watson" Cup for the best performance by a Scottish player during the season.

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ATHLETICS AND CYCLING.

A.A. AND "BROKEN TIME."

A STRONGLY-WORDED RESOLUTION.

At a meeting of the General Committee of the Amateur Athletic Association in London last Saturday the report of the International Amateur Athletic Federation on the question of payment for "broken time" was received with dissatisfaction, and the following resolution was adopted:—

"The A.A.A., in General Committee assembled, desires to bring before the British Olympic Association its grave view of the effect of the resolution by the International Olympic Council, recognising the payment to amateurs in respect of 'broken time,' and is emphatically of opinion that it will seriously affect the success of not only the Olympic Games at Amsterdam in 1928, but also future Olympiads.

"The Committee desires the British Olympic Association to summon at an early date a meeting of the various governing bodies of amateur sport in order that the position created by the resolution of the I.O.C. may be fully considered."

FIFTY MILES COUNTY DUBLIN CHAMPIONSHIP.

On last Saturday the N.A. and C.A. 50 Miles Championship was run off over a semi-circular course starting and finishing at Ashtown, and embracing Dunshaughlin, Ratoath and Cloghran. The management was entrusted to the Irish Road Club. Ten riders were despatched by Messrs. Ford and Clarke. The weather was very severe, and the riders suffered from the cold. J. J. Bennett (I.R.C.) won with a good ride of 2h. 33m. 30s., J. O'Toole (I.R.C.) was second, and O. Cosgrave (Harp C.C.) third. At 12½ miles O'Toole was leading Bennett by a minute, but at 25 miles Bennett had taken 4 mins. off, and from that continued to increase his lead, and ran out an easy winner by 16m. 21s. The following are the times and placings:—

	H.	M.	S.
1. J. J. Bennett	2	33	30
2. J. O'Toole	2	49	51
3. O. Cosgrave	2	53	36
4. M. J. Keogh	3	6	12
5. James Nolan	3	12	14

Also competed—D. J. Galavan (punctured), P. Gillen (chain trouble), C. Woodman, J. B. M'Cormack, J. Plunkett, and J. J. Gunning.

YACHTING.

HOWTH SAILING CLUB.

Although the end of the month is in sight Howth has not yet given in that the season is over. The local yachting fleet is very nearly intact still, and although many say that next Saturday will finish racing others believe that a week or two more may be looked forward to. Next Saturday, however, Bobolink drops out, her owner going on vacation, and so the star performer of the 17-foot class will be absent. Will this make a difference?

There was a shade too much weight in the nor-west wind on Saturday. A sign of this was forthcoming in not one boat setting top sail. Two only, indeed—Bobolink and Silver Moon—set reaching jibs, and when you know how keen the Howth 17-footers are on carrying sail this tells a tale in a nutshell. Probably the weather prevented Rita from coming over from Kingstown. She was expected, for Mr. W. Sinnott Glenn has joined the club, and probably will race at Howth next season.

Indeed, all present appearances go to suggest that the great bulk of the "Seventeens" will be at Howth next year.

An interested spectator on the pier was Mr. R. Hall, whose very smart boat, Echo, has not been racing of late, he having been none too well, and there is no doubt that he, the last of the Malahide representatives, has been missed in club matches.

The start was delayed until 3.45 p.m., when Bobolink led through the line, with Silver Moon close up, and at the head of the others. From that on until the finish was reached Bobolink kept drawing away from the rest. The present course is an interesting one. They go first to Balscadden Mark (spinnakers to starboard on Saturday), then to the Island Mark (a short and long leg), next to the North Mark (a turn to windward), back then to the Island Mark (a run), and on to the line, then to complete the round. Another such round and the full course is sailed.

With Bobolink holding the lead, the hope of any other overhauling her was remote. Mr. A. F. Buckley has come on splendidly as a helmsman since he brought Silver Moon to Howth, and on the first round he was next boat to Bobolink at its close, but was then only 5 secs. ahead of Anita, which was being sailed by Mr. A. W. Mooney. At present Anita is hors de concours as regards club handicaps. If Leila was in fourth berth she was still only 20 secs. behind Anita. Indeed, the three of them were battling for second place. Zaida, with Mr. R. Armstrong at the tiller, in the absence of her owner, was out of luck, bursting her runner, and having to drop out.

The final round resolved itself into two riddles—Would Bobolink be able to concede the long handicap she has to give? And which of the three, Silver Moon, Anita or Leila, would finish second? Mr. Mooney landed Anita home the first of the three, 20 secs. ahead of Leila, but the latter was the only boat to save her time from the invincible scratch boat. Finish:—

	H.	M.	S.
Bobolink (2nd prize)—Mr. R. Noel Guin-ness (scr.)	5	29	35
Anita—Mr. M'Leakey (—)	5	35	42
Leila (winner)—Mr. W. M'Bride (7m.)	5	35	2
Silver Moon (3rd prize)—Mr. A. F. Buckley (5m.)	5	37	22
Rosemary—Messrs. Niroll and Pearson (9m.)	5	46	3
Zaida—Mr. H. H. Poole (6m.) Carried away runner.			

MOTOR CYCLING.

IRISH CHAMPIONSHIPS AT PORTMARNOCK.

The twenty-five miles motor cycle speed championships of Ireland were held at Portmarnock Strand, Co. Dublin, last Saturday, by the Leinster Motor Cycle and Light Car Club, Ltd. This was the first speed meeting at Portmarnock since the fatal accident to "Herbie" Chambers in 1925, but the organisers went to great pains to see that the event should be held under as ideal conditions as was possible.

The meeting passed off without a hitch, and, while the riders gave the spectators many thrills as they approached the corners in clusters, not one serious toss marred the proceedings. There was a large crowd of spectators, and the strand and the weather were excellent.

In contrast to the high speeds which have been a feature of Free State sprint meetings during the last few months, sixty miles per hour was not reached. This was undoubtedly due to the fact that the events were run over a mile lap, including two sharp turns; for some of the machines at "all-out" rates were as fast as anything seen at Irish meetings this year.

The 600 c.c. sidecar class was won rather easily by Dene Allen (Norton), the "star" combination driver of the South of Ireland. He led from the start, followed by G. G. Briggs (Montgomery), who just after entering on the last circuit "lapped" the runner-up.

RACE DECLARED VOID.

In the 250 c.c. class J. J. Byrne (Excelsior), H. G. Tyrell Smith (Rex Acme), and J. L. Le Fanu (New Imperial) led in turn. With four laps to go the championship time limit had elapsed, and Le Fanu, who was the only rider left, broke a rocker arm. As no rider could then finish within the time, the race was declared void.

J. G. Burney (Royal Enfield) went into the lead on the first lap of the 350 c.c. class, followed by T. Slevin (Velocette), who was making his first appearance at a meeting this year. Their machines were about equal in speed, but Burney's cornering enabled him to draw ahead, and he came home with a lead of almost one minute. C. P. V. Tanner fought a three-cornered battle with H. J. McInnally (Mercury) and R. B. S. Le Fanu (New Imperial), but Tanner's experience enabled him to get in front, and he finished third.

EXCITING RACING.

The most exciting racing was seen in the 500 c.c. class, where lap after lap T. G. Byrne (Ariel) and A. A. Wayte (Sunbeam) came round in close company. First Byrne fell, and Wayte went ahead. Then Byrne, riding with great daring, caught the leader, and for several laps they came round together. Endeavouring to pass Byrne at a corner, Wayte fell, and lost all but top gear. This cost him the race; for he found it impossible to take the corners at the high speeds demanded by his gearing, and he retired. G. G. Briggs (Montgomery), who had been riding a steady race, now took second place, and remained there, being followed home by G. V. B. Cooke, the Secretary of the Motor Cycle Union of Ireland, who had one of the fast Rudges used in the Ulster Grand Prix. He was geared rather high for the sand, and at one stage was riding last. He made a wonderful recovery to finish behind Briggs.

In the ten miles handicap, with which the proceedings concluded, the limit man, D. Rowan, (346 New Imperial) had been treated rather generously, and the back-markers found it impossible to catch him. He was followed home by G. G. Briggs, who secured his third second position at the meeting, and J. G. Burney, who was only one-fifth of a second behind Briggs. Probably another lap would have seen the placings considerably altered.

The placings and times were as under:—

600 C.C. SIDECAR CLASS.

	Times. M.	S.
1—Dene Allen, 588 Norton	36	35
2—G. G. Briggs, 490 Montgomery	38	14

250 C.C. SOLO CLASS.

No rider finished.

350 C.C. SOLO CLASS.

	M.	S.
1—J. G. Burney, 346 Royal Enfield	33	23
2—T. Slevin, 348 Velocette	34	11
3—C. P. V. Tanner, 344 New Imperial	36	0

500 C.C. SOLO CLASS.

	M.	S.
1—T. G. Byrne, 497 Ariel	33	18
2—G. G. Briggs, 490 Montgomery	33	45
3—G. V. B. Cooke, 499 Rudge	35	15

4—J. J. Elliott, 490 Norton; 5—T. Woods, 498 Scott.

TEN MILES HANDICAP (UNLIMITED C.C.).

	Actual M.	Actual S.	Handicap M.	Handicap S.
1—D. Rowan, 346 New Imperial (4 m. 30 s.)	16	1	11	31
2—G. G. Briggs, 490 Montgomery (1 m. 15 s.)	13	25	12	10
3—J. G. Burney, 346 Royal Enfield (1 m.)	13	10 1/5	12	10 1/5

4—G. V. B. Cooke, 499 Rudge (30 s.); 5—T. Woods, 498 Scott (50 s.); 6—H. J. McInnally, 344 Mercury (3 m.).

103 MILES AN HOUR AT BROOKLANDS.

At Brooklands last Saturday seven British championships were decided. In the senior and heavy-weight classes the average speed of the winners was more than 100 miles an hour, H. Le Vack winning the 500 c.c. race at 101½ and J. S. Wright retained the 1,000 c.c. championship with a speed of nearly 103 miles an hour. F. W. Dixon, on a Brough-Superior, won the 1,000 c.c. side-car race at nearly 92 miles an hour.

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FANCY DRESS OPTIONAL.
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DUBLIN MASTER BAKERS' COMMITTEE.
PRICE OF BREAD.
The Dublin Master Bakers' Committee give Notice that, on and after this date, MONDAY, 26th SEPTEMBER, 1927, the price of Bread will be reduced to
5½d. PER 2lb. LOAF,
DELIVERED.
JOHN P. MacAVIN, Secretary.
Committee Rooms, Commercial Buildings, Dame street, Dublin.

CHILDREN'S SPECIAL SERVICE MISSION.
RE-UNION,
TO-DAY, AT 5 p.m.
IN THE
METROPOLITAN HALL.
Chairman—Rev. L. PARKINSON HILL, M.A.
Speaker—Mr. R. DE PEMBERTON, of S. Catherine's College, Cambridge.

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COUNTY COUNCIL'S CREDIT BALANCE.

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At 3.30 p.m.
PROGRAMME.
Concerto in E Flat for Piano and Orchestra...Liszt (Solo Piano: MR. FREDERICK DAWSON)
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Symphony..."From the New World"........Dvorak
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Subscriptions should be sent to the Hon. Secretary, Miss M. M. Allen, 17 Leeson Park.
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OF SEATS WILL BE RESERVED FOR SUBSCRIBERS up to and including September 30th, after which date the booking will be open to the public. Ticket for Non-subscribers:—5/9, 3/6, 2/4, 1/3 (Tax included).
SPECIAL REDUCTIONS FOR COLLEGES AND SCHOOLS. Reserved and Numbered Seats in the Parterre at 2/- each will be sold in blocks of not less than ten for any one Concert. For full particulars apply to the Hon. Secretary, Miss M. M. Allen, 17 Leeson Park, Dublin.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, DUBLIN.
CLOSE OF THE SEVENTH CENTENARY OF ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI.
PUBLIC LECTURES.
TO-DAY (MONDAY), SEPTEMBER 26th.
At 4.30 p.m.,
In the
AULA MAXIMA, 86 ST. STEPHEN'S GREEN, REV. PROFESSOR CORCORAN, S.J.,
"The Irish Franciscans at Rome and Louvain in the 17th Century."
TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), SEPTEMBER 27th,
At 4.30 p.m.,
In the
AULA MAXIMA, 86 ST. STEPHEN'S GREEN, PROFESSOR HOWLEY,
"The Stigmatisation of St. Francis."
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28th,
At 4.30 p.m.,
In the
AULA MAXIMA, 86 ST. STEPHEN'S GREEN, REV. PROFESSOR O'KEEFFE,
"Duns Scotus."
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29th,
At 4.30 p.m.,
In the
AULA MAXIMA, 86 ST. STEPHEN'S GREEN, MR. ATTERIDGE,
"Franciscan Missions."
At 8 p.m., in the
PHYSICS LECTURE THEATRE, EARLSFORT TERRACE,
MR. THOMAS BODKIN, M.R.I.A., Director, National Gallery,
"The Pictorial Treatment of the Life of St. Francis" (Illustrated with Lantern Slides).
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30th,
At 4.30 p.m.,
In the
AULA MAXIMA, 86 ST. STEPHEN'S GREEN, MR. JEREMIAH J. HOGAN, M.A., B.Litt.,
"St. Francis in Italian Literature."
For Admission apply at the College.
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35 MOLESWORTH ST., DUBLIN,
Under the Auspices of First Church of Christ, Scientist, Dublin.
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New Students Enrolled each evening, 8 p.m.
Syllabus of Classes from Hon. Sec.

I, ANTHONY SUTTON, intend to apply for a Bookmaker's Licence to carry on business at The Arch, off Talbot place, Dublin.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION—TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION BRANCH.
TRADE SCHOLARSHIPS, 1927.
The Department invite applications for Scholarships from persons employed in the following Industries:—
(a) Cabinet Making.
(b) Motor Engineering.
(c) Painting and Decorating.
(d) Road Carriage and Motor Body-Building.
The object of these Scholarships, which will be distributed amongst the courses in greatest demand, is to enable apprentices who have been engaged in the specified industries for a period of at least two years to obtain systematic instruction in the technology of those industries.
One-third of the Scholarships will be reserved for candidates who are fluent speakers of Irish should a sufficient number of suitable applicants come forward. Candidates applying for these reserved Scholarships will be required to undergo a special oral test in Irish of a standard designed to test their fluency as speakers of the language. And such candidates who may not succeed in obtaining one of the reserved Scholarships will be considered as competitors for the remaining Scholarships offered.
Application for a Scholarship must be made (on Form S. 199) NOT LATER THAN THE 7th OCTOBER, 1927.
Further particulars and copies of S. 199 may be obtained from the Secretary, Department of Education, Technical Instruction Branch, 64 and 65 Merrion square, S., Dublin.
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COIMISINEIRI OIBREACH PUIBLI (Commissioners of Public Works).—Notice to Contractors—Sealed Tenders addressed to the undersigned will be received up to but not later than 12 o'clock, noon, on the 12th October, 1927, for the overhaul and repairs of the dredger, "Cara na Gcuan," in accordance with the plans and specification to be seen at this office, or at the office of the Superintendent of Works, Harbour Yard, Dun Laoghaire.
In considering the placing of this contract special regard will be had to the extent to which firms submitting tenders employ, or are prepared to employ, demobilised officers and men of the National Army. The Commissioners will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.
T. CASSEDY, Secretary.
Oifig Oibreach Puibl (Office of Public Works), Baile Atha Cliath (Dublin),
23rd September, 1927.
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The Irish Times.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1927.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

Dublin's Civic Week ended on Saturday night with the holding of the Military Tattoo at Lansdowne road grounds. It attracted a very large gathering of the citizens.—(Page 5.)

Walter Parks, a farmer, was killed by his prize-winning bull in one of his fields at Killen, near Carlingford, on Friday night. The bull was afterwards shot by soldiers.—(Page 3.)

The Fermanagh Regional Committee, when allocating scholarships at their last meeting, decided by a majority vote that students could choose any university that they wished, North or South.—(Page 5.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

Liverpool's Civic Week was opened by the Lord Mayor on Saturday in a downpour of rain.—(Page 5.)

The ship Discovery returned to Falmouth yesterday, after spending two years in the Antarctic. The object of the expedition was to study the whale.—(Page 7.)

Miss Marjorie Cartledge, who was taking part in a women's motor cycle test trial in Yorkshire yesterday, was killed when the machine dashed into a wall. Her passenger, Miss Holling, was injured.—(Page 7.)

Revolvers and bottles were used in a fight in a London street last night. Two youths were taken to hospital.—(Page 7.)

ABROAD

During Saturday night two attempts were made to wreck the train conveying American Legionaries from Paris to Nice. The train was delayed, but arrived safely, no passengers having been injured.—(Page 7.)

The race for the Schneider Cup was postponed yesterday owing to bad weather. It may take place to-day.—(Page 7.)

SPORTING

At Leopardstown on Saturday Borora won the Autumn Plate, Blue Bell the Scalp Plate, Facino the Dargle Plate, Old Orkney the Dundrum Plate, Athlone Lass the Three Rock Plate, and Prospice the Foxrock Plate.—(Page 10.)

At Newbury Lightning Artist won the Newbury Autumn Cup.—(Page 10.)

FINANCIAL

The fusion is announced of Jurgens and Van den Berghs, the two leading firms in the margarine manufacturing business.—(Page 4.)

Money was almost unlendable in Lombard street on Saturday, loans till Monday being offered down to 2 per cent. Sterling in New York rose to over parity, the rate closing at 4.86 21-32.—(Page 4.)

Tourists and Transport.

Winter has closed in upon a land that summer hardly warmed, and the tourist season is at an end. As we look back on those excursions which a few bright days in July and August permitted, we are able to assess at once our country's charms for the traveller, and its disappointments. Seasoned travellers know many a resort where natural beauties and good hostels offer at all times holidays as delightful as may be enjoyed anywhere. The ill-instructed traveller does not discover these places so easily. At Killarney, the supreme glory of the land, the holiday-maker finds comfort in houses that are on the brink of lakes of luminous water. He proceeds to visit the "sights"—castle, abbey and cascade, framed in woods and banks of many coloured vegetation. If he takes the road to Kenmare, he is struck by a sudden change as he crosses the watershed and leaves that splendid valley behind him. He is obliged to travel through bare and comparatively uninteresting expanses of moor and rock before he sights the charming town of Kenmare. Why should not one glen be as lovely as the other? Here and there the tourist traffic has induced our people to preserve woods and to build beautifully; but they seem to be unwilling to conserve such beauties for their own delight. A true patriotism would render every glen in Ireland another Killarney, and would fill the island with fascinations such as those which draw travellers to Killarney, to Leenane and to Glendalough.

Motor transport has brought many blessings to backward places, and the development of the motor omnibus during the past two seasons already has left its mark on the countryside. Daily a stream of traffic runs between Limerick and Cork, by Mallow, carrying men and women through villages that otherwise they never would see. Districts that hitherto have been aloof from that economic pulse which is the life of the nation are visited by those road vehicles which serve as "feeders" to the railway. The development thus begun by private enterprise, and by the far-seeing policy of the amalgamated railway companies, probably will extend within two years to the loneliest corners of all our counties; and when this is accomplished, the revivifying energy of modern life will find channels whereby to penetrate the whole island. Progress still is hampered by the indifferent state of the Free State highways. Certain main highways—like that from Northern Ireland to Dublin and on to Wexford, and the road from Dublin, by Nenagh, to Limerick—are worthy of the most advanced country in Europe. Away from these highways, however, the motorist finds himself often faced with ten miles of potholes at a stretch. As he crosses a province, he finds the roads of one county good and those of its neighbour abominable; and thereafter he shrinks from any long trip over unexplored reaches. Our island is so small that to cross it is less than a day's drive; and it is absurd that short roads should come under half-a-dozen different authorities.

Delay in the completion of the Free State trunk roads is wasteful, since a road, like a chain, cannot serve its purpose until all links are complete. Here we face the need of a far-seeing State policy in transport. Last week, at the meeting of the Royal Bank of Ireland, the Chairman pointed to national co-operation in transport as the great need of the country's staple industry of agriculture. The expediting of road construction would absorb more of the present excess of unemployed and unskilled workers than any other form of relief, and it would bring near the day of rapid and economic intercourse between the agricultural areas and the markets and ports. A bold transport policy would require for its direction a transport ministry, by which all forms of traffic and communication would be controlled. During Dublin's Civic Week evidence of the urgent need for such a ministry was seen in the prolonged traffic blocks in the city. These occurred at all hours of the day, and often drove citizens from the tramcars and omnibuses in desperation. Again and again omnibuses faring to the suburbs were boarded by Civic Guards and found to be carrying more than their legal load. This state of affairs is produced whenever the slightest departure from normal movements of passengers occurs. Again, at the week's end many districts often are left without vehicles to serve their residents owing to diversion to pleasure services. Multiplicity of transport undertakings thus renders the new services irregular and untrustworthy. Perhaps, a shuffling of portfolios in the forming of a new Government may give President Cosgrave a happy opportunity to supply the country's need.

The Language Question in Canada.

The latest effort of political appeasement in Canada will have a peculiar interest for the Irish Free State, which has its own language question. Canada is a bilingual country, and the status of the French language in the predominantly English-speaking provinces has been a cause of prolonged discussion and unrest. Thirty-two years ago, as *The Times* reminds us, the language controversy in Manitoba wrought the downfall of the Conservative Party at Ottawa, and drove it into opposition for sixteen years. To-day various systems of bilingual instruction are enforced throughout the Dominion, but frequent difficulties arise, especially in rural districts, concerning the supply of bilingual teachers and the allotment of hours of study. In general, the minorities would prefer to have separate schools, but few of them can afford to dispense with the Government's grants. The French-speaking communities of Ontario nourish a bitter grievance against the Provincial Code of 1913, which virtually put an end to the teaching of the French language, as a spoken tongue, in the public schools. They contrast this treatment with Quebec's more liberal treatment of its English-speaking minorities, and point to the rapid increase of the French-speaking population in the eastern parts of Ontario. Now a committee of inquiry, which was established two years ago by the Provincial Government, reports that neither English nor French is taught properly under the present bilingual arrangement. It recommends a return to the system of separate schools, and that similar regulations and supervision shall apply to all such schools, whether they be attended by English-speaking or by French-speaking pupils. Mr. Howard Ferguson, the Governor of Ontario, has decided to accept these proposals in a spirit of goodwill to the Province's French minority. He says—and his words deserve study by the Free State Government—that adequate provision ought to be made "for adjusting instruction to meet needs of individual schools through the wise direction of personal effort rather than through the application of rigid and detailed directions, which cannot be made to fit every situation." Mr. Ferguson proposes, therefore, to revise the Code of 1913 in such a fashion that the French communities will have full opportunity to teach the mother tongue to their children, without neglect of the study of English, which is a social and economic necessity. If the new plan succeeds, it will end a quarrel that has persisted in Ontario for forty years, and it ought to have beneficent effects on the whole temper of Canadian citizenship, which, of late years, has tended to direct its political divisions along racial lines. The Toronto Correspondent of *The Times* says that Mr. Ferguson's action may have some bearing on next month's Conservative Convention at Winnipeg, when a new Federal leader will be chosen. "A leader who could win the sympathy and support of French-Canadians in Quebec might well bring back the Conservatives to power."

America's Secret.

The unprecedented prosperity of the United States is the subject of an interest among European peoples that is not unmixed with envy. American visitors, and well-known Europeans who have returned from the United States, are beset for the secret of this wealth abounding, and sometimes are willing to recommend measures by which it may be imitated. The great natural resources of the United States, however, always must be taken into account by less fortunately situated countries. These resources include all the major raw materials of modern industry, except rubber. They have been utilised to the utmost by a system of large-scale production, founded upon great uniformity of taste. At the beginning of the war two most important industries—the motor car and the cinematograph—had not been established long, and in these America secured an overwhelming predominance. Nevertheless, an address recently delivered by Mr. Theodore W. Robinson, of the Illinois Steel Company, to the Iron and Steel Institute of Great Britain drew attention to some factors in trans-Atlantic prosperity which can be reproduced in the old world. The development of the United States steel industry primarily is due, Mr. Robinson explained, to the unrivalled *per capita* output of the average workman. Wealth cannot be divided in wages and in dividends until it is produced, and a fifty *per cent.* increase in production by the average workman within twenty-five years has led to a corresponding increase in wealth. This greater production has been made possible by the co-operation of capital, labour and management. Management has become a distinct entity in business, and represents the investor on one side and labour on the other. To the good relations between the investor and labour, brought about by organisation, Mr. Robinson attributes the high individual output of the American worker and the high wages, high dividends and general prosperity of his country. This increase of output has been all the more necessary if, as he claimed, the United States was not a gainer by the war, but actually lost materially, although not to the same extent as other countries, by the occupation of millions of men in non-productive activities.

Playing with Fire.

An objection has been taken to the most popular function of Dublin's Civic Week on the ground that it lent glamour to militarism. Can it be contended, however, that a historical display which excluded the idea of combat would represent the past of any ancient city? Townsmen were no more remarkable than any other class of people in ancient or mediæval times for meek or "pacifist" behaviour. But for their, perhaps, deplorable readiness to fight in defence of their rights and privileges on all possible occasions, it is doubtful if cities ever would have existed in any European country. Human history is a history of war, with intervals of recovery and peace. It may be hoped that the intervals of peace will be extended. Perhaps, in time, the problem of "outlawing war," to which some of the best modern minds have given themselves, may be solved; but can this be done by bowdlerising the lives of saints and heroes in all ages of what the Irish annalists call "polish and bravery, generosity and noble deeds"? If a military tattoo is bad, what becomes of literature?—

"One crowded hour of glorious life
Is worth an age without a name."

In every literature this sort of thing is regrettably common. It begins in the nursery with Jack the Giant-killer and similar fables. If the difference between Jack and the giant had been adjusted by a protocol, without any fatal result, the moral effect upon the first generation of children who were told about it might have been admirable. One thing, however, is certain: no second generation would have heard the story; for their parents would have forgotten it. To fillet music and song of belligerent sentiment would make almost a clean sweep of the best. The most unmartial persons are ready to proclaim, on very slight provocation, that they "fear no foe in shining armour."

PUBLIC GOLF IN DUBLIN.

TERMS OF AGREEMENT.

At a meeting of the General Committee of Public Golf (Dublin), held in the offices of the *Motor News*, Sackville street, the Right Hon. Lord Glenavy presiding, and there being also present Sir James C. Percy, Sir John Lumsden, M.D.; Dr. George Price, LL.D.; J. E. Healy, G. B. Butler, and the Rev. J. L. Morrow, M.A., it was announced by the Honorary Secretary, Mr. J. P. Rooney, that, after protracted negotiations between the Commissioners of Public Works and the Committee, an agreement had been reached and sanctioned by the Government as to the terms and conditions of the licence entitling the Committee to the use of the ground in the Phœnix Park for the purpose of a public golf course.

As an initial capital expenditure of a substantial amount will have to be incurred in the equipping, laying out and fencing of the course, it was resolved that the Finance Committee should, at the earliest date, consider and report the minimum cost at which these essential preliminaries, including a suitable pavilion, could be provided, and that the General Committee, on receipt of this report, should issue an appeal to the public for the necessary financial support.

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—A very deep depression centred over Southern Norway, and covering most of Europe and the North-East Atlantic, is moving slowly north-eastwards, and decreasing in intensity. Winds will be between north and west, and the weather rather cold and mainly fair, apart from local thundery showers inland, and, perhaps, occasional rain in coastal districts; ground frost will occur locally at night.

All Irish Districts.—North-westerly to northerly winds, strong at times, moderating; considerable fair intervals, but a few thundery showers, and, perhaps, occasional local rain; visibility moderate to good; rather cold, with slight ground frost locally at night.

South-West Seaboard, Irish Sea and St. George's Channel.—Westerly to north-westerly winds, strong at times; fair periods; local showers; visibility mainly moderate to good; sea rather rough locally.

North-West Seaboard.—Northerly to north-westerly winds, strong at times; fair periods; occasional rain or showers; visibility moderate to good; sea rather rough locally.

Dixon and Hempenstall Barometers and Thermometers 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

DUBLIN WEATHER REPORT.

Sept.	Bar.	Thermometer. Temp. 10 p.m.	Max.	Min.	Grass Min.	Wind.	Rain, m.m.	Sun hours
20	29.570	62.5	62	54	47	W.	6.3	0.0
21	29.454	59.1	62	57	56	—	11.2	0.0
22	29.380	48.2	57	48	50	W.	6.4	2.0
23	29.172	43.0	55	42	38	W.	Trace	7.5
24	29.202	47.2	56	42	38	S.W.	2.3	2.6
25	29.522	45.0	55	45	40	W.	0.4	8.4

THE SUN.
To-day....Rises 7.16 Sets 7.17
To-morrow.. " 7.17 " 7.14
Lighting-up Time 8.17

HIGH WATER—DUBLIN.
To-day.....Morning 0.30 Afternoon 0.45
To-morrow.. " 1. 0 " 1.18

THE KING AND QUEEN.

The King and Queen, Princess Helena Victoria, and the Ladies and Gentlemen-in-Attendance were present at Divine Service in Crathie Parish Church yesterday morning. The Rev. John Stirton, D.D., Domestic Chaplain to the King, officiated, and the Rev. A. W. Scudamore Forbes, minister of West Parish Church, Aberdeen, preached the sermon.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

Prince Henry will be the guest of the Earl and Countess of Harrowby at Sandon Hall when he visits Staffordshire at the end of this week. His Royal Highness, following the example of the Prince of Wales, will make his hunting headquarters at Melton Mowbray this season.

Princess Mary will be entertained at luncheon by Mr. and Mrs. Assheton at Downham Hall when she visits Clitheroe next Saturday. Five thousand commissioners and officers of the Girl Guides will assemble at Waddow Hall, which will be opened by the Princess as a training centre.

Princess Arthur of Connaught spent a few days in London last week and went shopping daily. Her Royal Highness has rejoined her mother, the Princess Royal, at Mar Lodge, Braemar, and will remain in Scotland till about the middle of next month. The Marquis and Marchioness of Carisbrooke have returned to London from Spain.

The shooting party entertained by the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire last week at Chatsworth included Prince Lichnowsky, the Marquis and Marchioness of Exeter, Lady Margaret Spencer, Viscount Hampden and the Hon. Barbara Brand, Lady Rachel Stuart, Captain and Lady Blanche Cobbold, Captain and Lady Dorothy Macmillian, the Hon. Somerset Maxwell, the Hon. John Fox-Strangways, the Hon. William and the Hon. Edith Smith, Lady Markham and Sir Richard Sykes.

Viscount and Viscountess Massereene and Ferrard have been entertaining a series of house parties at Ardanaiseig House, Loch Awe. Their guests have included Lady Helena Wentworth-Fitzwilliam, Lady Diana Bridgeman, Lady Alexandra Haig, Lord Alington, the Hon. Gilbert and Mrs. Hay, the Hon. Hugh Lygon and the Hon. Patrick Balfour. A number of parties will be entertained in Perthshire this week for the Perth Hunt races. The Earl and Countess of Mansfield will have a large party at Scone Palace, and at House of Falkland Captain and the Hon. Mrs. A. Maule-Ramsey's guests will include Lord Carnegie and Lady Maud Carnegie.

Sir Oliver Lodge has left London for Paris, and will deliver an address on psychical phenomena at the third International Congress of Psychic Research, which opened at the Sorbonne yesterday.

General Sir Charles Monro and the Hon. Lady Monro left Tilbury last week in the ss. Mooltan on their return to Government House, Gibraltar. Lord and Lady Vernon have left London for Le Touquet. Viscountess Marsham has sailed in the ss. Mongolia for Shanghai. Other departures from England for America and for the East include Lord Phillimore, Brigadier-General Sir Gordon Guggisberg, Governor of the Gold Coast; Sir Philip Grey Egerton, Sir Adwin Farley, Lady Mosley, Sir E. Sleight and Mr. H. Gordon Selfridge. Mr. and the Hon. Mrs. Loel Guinness will leave London for the United States early in October. The Lord Mayor of London and the Lady Mayoress will leave London this week on their official visit to Rome.

A marriage has been arranged, and will take place quietly in October, between Captain and Brevet-Major T. J. Carroll-Leahy, D.S.O., M.C., Fifth Fusiliers, of Woodfort, Mallow, Ireland, and Vera Mary Eden, only child of Colonel Eden Vansittart, D.S.O., and Mrs. Vansittart, of 15 Parkwood road, Bournemouth.

Dr. Garratt has left Kingstown for three weeks.

Mr. William Pearson has returned to 27 Lower Baggot street.

A beautiful selection of inexpensive Felt Hats in the new shapes and featuring all the most fashionable Autumn colourings has just arrived at Switzers Millinery Department, Grafton street.

Ciro Pearls give social distinction to every woman fortunate enough to possess them. See these wonderful replicas of real Oriental gems at the Ciro Salon, Switzers. London prices.

Novelty Waistcoats—Overblouse Knit Wool Sportswear just arrived; also a Continental Manufacturer's Stock of Art Silk Jumpers, lovely Autumn shades, 5s. 11d.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 Sth. Gt. George's st.

Royal Hibernian Hotel, Dublin, and Salthill Hotel, Monkstown, now quoting special winter terms. Meals interchangeable between both hotels. For particulars apply Manager. 1927. Be punctual. Chancellor's, 7 Grafton st.

Articles of interest to all women will be found on Page 3 of the *Irish Times* every Monday.

Todd, Burns and Co., Ltd., announce that their Costume and Gown Buyer has just returned from the Paris and Continental Markets, and they are showing a wonderful selection this week at prices to suit all.

Fur Renovations and Remodelling. Expert work. Moderate charges.—Forrest and Sons, Ltd., Grafton street.

Veronica is now showing her Models recently purchased in Paris.—31 Upper Baggot street.

New Autumn Coats in tweed with fur collars from 5¼ gns. at Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street.

PASSENGERS BY ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

Arrivals:—R. J. Hughes, Dr. H. Copeman, Dr. J. Lenten, Major A. J. Beveridge, R.A.M.C.; A. Sharpe, Captain E. W. Morton, Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Haughton, the Rev. William F. Benson, W. S. Maguinness, J. B. Burgess, J. M. Slattery, F. J. Whelan, J. Molloy.

Departures:—William Robert Lendrum, E. H. B. Maffett, J. Crampton Potter, Harry Allen Newcomb, Colonel T. G. Peacocke, R. Fox, Major N. G. Holmes, James M. O'Connell, E. McGuirk, Jacques Silver, C. V. O'Reilly, Mr. R. M. and Miss Butler, Sir P. and Lady Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Lupton, the Rev. Father Homan-O'Callaghan, Dr. Alice Lemass, Patrick Leonard, T.D.; Mrs. Leonard, Ralph Leonard.

PASSENGERS BY B. AND I. LINE, VIA LIVERPOOL.

Arrivals:—G. Saunders, W. J. Kidd, Miss M. Radcliffe, A. C. Sibthorpe, T. J. Lewis, G. V. Langley, Colonel E. St. George Smith, T. Leeming, J. Banville, T. Hoey, D. D. McNally, J. Allen.

Departures:—M. Watts, J. Hardy, Judge Sherlock, Mrs. Sherlock, T. J. Moran, T. Dunlop.

Millinery—Special show this week at McBirney's, due to the return of their Buyer from the great Fashion centres.—Aston's quay.

Mrs. Bithrey, Chiropodist, 5 St. Stephen's Green.

Beatrice 1., Beauty Queen of Dublin—Marleen, the Sportswear Specialist, begs to announce that she has the honour to number Miss Beatrice Toal among her distinguished clientèle. Marleen, 114 Stephen's Green, West.

Silk Afternoon Frocks, long sleeves, 2½ guineas.—Jane Mason, 27 Dawson street.

Furniture Stored in the only Fire-proof Depository in Ireland. Millar and Beatty, Ltd.

Gibson and Co., Ladies' Tailors. Specialists in designing and cutting. All models made on the premises. Inspection invited.—141 Lower Baggot st.

H.M.S. NELSON.

NEWCASTLE'S PROPOSED GIFT OF SHIP'S BELL.

The Lord Mayor of Newcastle, Councillor Arthur Lambert, has issued an appeal to provide H.M.S. Nelson, built on the Tyne, with a solid silver ship's bell, as a memento of this achievement of battleship construction in the North. The Admiralty has approved cordially, and promises that the Nelson shall return to the Tyne for the ceremony of installation.

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS

Civic Week—Winding-up Dance, Mansion House, 8 p.m.; Housing and Town Planning Exhibition, Engineers' Hall, Dawson street, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Art Exhibition, Metropolitan School of Art.

Rotary Club Luncheon, Clery's Restaurant, 1 p.m.

Lecture by the Rev. Professor Corcoran, S.J., University College, 4.30 p.m.

Irish National Christian Endeavour Convention. Dublin—Devotional Hour, Centenary Church, 9 a.m.; Irish Christian Endeavour Union, Centenary Church, 10 a.m.; Open Conference, 11.30 a.m.; Luncheon, Jury's Hotel, 1.15 p.m.; Tea, St. Matthias's Parochial Hall, 5.30 p.m.; Praise Service, Centenary Church, 7.15 p.m.; Public Meeting, Centenary Church, 7.30 p.m.

Church Army Meetings, Diocesan Hall, Baggot street, 4 p.m. and 8 p.m.

Dispensary for Sick Animals of Poor—Annual Meeting, 5 Leinster street, 4.30 p.m.

Gaiety Theatre—"Lady, Be Good!"

Theatre Royal—"Poor Papa."

Olympia Theatre—"No, No, Not Yet."

Abbey Theatre—"The Glorious Uncertainty."

Capitol—Varieties.

Metropole Cinema—"Hindle Wakes."

Grafton Picture House—"The Amateur Gentleman."

Pavilion Cinema, Dun Laoghaire—"Puppets."

Carlton Cinema—"Held by the Law."

Sackville Picture House—"The Son of the Sheik."

Flag Day in aid of the Limerick Branch of the National Lifeboat Institution was held on Saturday in fine weather, and proved very successful.

LONDON LETTER.

THE FINANCIAL HALF-YEAR.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
SUNDAY NIGHT.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer, who a few days ago was saying that there need be no fears regarding an increase of taxation in his next Budget, will not have a very good financial half-year to contemplate on Saturday next. The revenue returns are really not promising. The receipts are only about £1,000,000 better than they were at the same time last year, when the results of the general strike were being felt. Income tax and super-tax show a decrease of nearly £10,000,000, so that the total yield for the year is bound to bring disappointment. Expenditure has fallen two and a half millions, but the cost of the expedition to China has yet to be met, and this certainly will run into several millions. Mr. Churchill will have reason to watch revenue returns during the coming six months.

Political Discussions.

Rumour says that there may be some rather contentious discussions when the Conservative Conference meets at Cardiff next week, but the proceedings at the Labour Conference at Blackpool are likely to be far more contentious. The lists are being drawn for a struggle between Mr. Philip Snowden and Mr. Mosley on the financial policy of the party. Mr. Mosley has opened the battle with a few oblique shots at Mr. Snowden by suggesting that it seems a little unfortunate that the ex-Labour Chancellor should appear to be an ardent supporter of the Governor of the Bank of England, and that "the mining struggle originated entirely from the financial policy of the Tory Government" in returning to the gold standard.

Women in Parliament.

The small success attaching to the efforts of the women candidates in the Irish Free State election does not seem to deter women candidates on this side, and it is possible that there will be quite a large number in the constituencies when the general election takes place in 1929. It is said that Miss Kyrle Bellew, the widow of Mr. Arthur Bourchier, may contest the seat which he was to have fought, while Mrs. Hilton Phillipson will be a candidate again. Other recognised candidates include Lady Rathcreedan, Dame Helen Gwynne Vaughan, Lady Clare Annesley, Lady Cynthia Mosley, and Miss Jessie Stephens. Labour will have more women candidates in the next election than it has yet put into the field.

The Late Lord George Hamilton.

The remains of the late Lord George Hamilton were cremated at Golder's Green Crematorium yesterday. The simple Service was attended only by Lord Ernest Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Hamilton, Mr. A. G. Hamilton, and Captain Robert Hamilton. A Memorial Service followed at St. Mary's Church, Bryanston square, conducted by Bishop Russell Wakefield. The King was represented by the Earl of Airlie, and among those attending were Lady George Hamilton, Lord Frederick Hamilton (representing the Duke of Abercorn), Viscount Lascelles, Mr. Arthur Williams, past Grand Standard Bearer of the Grand Lodge of England; Sir Edmund Phipps, Sir Reginald Mant (representing the India Office), Sir Ernle Chatfield and Sir Charles Walker (representing the Admiralty), and the relatives present at the cremation.

The Workingman's Beer.

Prohibition is to make a great massed attack on working men's clubs in this country, leaving licensed houses alone for the moment. It is said that all the temperance organisations in the country will join together in the campaign, though the organising work will be undertaken by the United Kingdom Alliance, a body which has been making most careful and thorough researches into the amount of beer consumed by working men in their clubs. It is on the strength of this information that the campaign will be based, and it will take the line of demanding that Parliament shall pass an Act placing such clubs under police control. Its task will not be an easy one; for it is doubtful whether any party in the House of Commons will care to give its support to such a cause. Working men have votes, and would greatly resent intolerant interference with their clubs.

Communists and Fascism.

It has been rumoured for some time past that Communists were forming a body of ex-Service men to fight what is described as police and Fascist frightfulness. The authorities are watching these activities carefully and will not fail to take action if provided with a reasonable opportunity. It is said that an ex-officer is at the head of the movement, and that the curriculum includes physical training, while a group of leaders to be described as marshals and stewards will be organised. It is declared by the leaders that the body will devote itself to the fight against capitalism and militarism in all its forms, and especially against naval and military intervention in China and the threat of war on the Russian Republic.

Abyssinian Terriers.

Probably the most striking novelties at the great show of the Kennel Club at the Crystal Palace on Wednesday and Thursday will be a pair of what, for want of a better name, are called Abyssinian sand terriers. These curious little freaks are entirely denuded of hair, but for all that they are rather fascinating creatures with amusing ways and remarkable agility. They reached this country by chance in the early part of the year, having been included with a consignment of reptiles despatched by an African agent. Mexican hairless dogs have been exhibited occasionally, but not for a good many years, and the presence of a variety of similar dogs in Africa is known to travellers. That they are very rare, however, is shown from the fact that it has been impossible to obtain anything authentic about these interesting strangers. Presumably they are hardy, as they went through distemper when in quarantine, and they have managed to survive our inclement summer without taking hurt.

Floods on the Thames.

The tremendous rains of the last few weeks have brought about an unusual rise in the River Thames with a rapidity which never has been equalled in the memory of people living on the river banks. At Shepperton yesterday the water was nearly eight feet above summer level—an unusual record for September. It is feared that, if there should be further rains of the magnitude experienced of late, there will be some great floods in the low-lying districts on the Thames. London to-day had a beautiful autumn morning, with much sunshine, but as the day drew on it became cold and grey, with a promise of further rain.

Canadian Farmers.

A party of Canadian farmers, who are to pay a visit to Europe in January next, will make a rapid review of British farming methods during the nine days when they will be here. They will pay visits to Liverpool, Stratford-on-Avon, Reading, Windsor and London—where two days will be devoted to Smithfield Market, Covent Garden, and other big food centres. The farmers will number one hundred, and many of them are to represent important organisations in Canada. It is hoped that a result of the tour will be an improvement of marketing within the Empire.

DEATH.

O'CONNELL—September 24, 1927, at Marseilles, France, Sir Peter Reilly O'Connell, M.D., D.L., of Oatlands, Stillorgan, County Dublin. R.I.P. Funeral private.

STUDYING THE WHALE.

RESEARCH WORK IN ANTARCTIC.

THE DISCOVERY'S VOYAGE.

ISOLATED FOR NINE MONTHS.

FROM THE PRESS ASSOCIATION'S SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

FALMOUTH, Sunday.

THE ship Discovery arrived at Falmouth to-day after an absence from England of two years in the South Antarctic. The expedition was organised with the view of gaining information which will help to preserve the whale industry in the south.

Commanded by Captain Stenhouse, and with Dr. S. W. Kemp as the chief research officer, the Discovery made Cape Town her headquarters. For nine months she was cut off from civilisation. Huge fields of ice were encountered last winter, when the conditions were worse than usual. Soundings were taken at a depth of 5,000 metres, and temperatures were also taken at an immense depth.

Thousands of rare specimens of sea life were captured, but the one which caused the greatest interest to the members of the crew is a prickly crab, which they named "Prickly Peter."

When at South Georgia the Discovery formed an Association football team, which used to meet a team of Norwegians, who at first were victorious. After a few matches, however, the Discovery team proved itself master.

The Discovery carried three cadets—Joseph Bentley, W. P. O'Connor and F. H. Pearse—who have greatly developed during the voyage. Bentley has a first class seaman's certificate at the age of fifteen years. At Cape Town several Botha boys joined the crew.

OBJECT OF EXPEDITION.

Dr. Stanley Kemp, Director of Research, in an interview, said that the object of the expedition was to study whales, and to get some idea of how to prevent their extermination in the South. In the North they had been virtually exterminated. The work of the Discovery was quite different from that which she had been engaged in on other expeditions. There was no effort at territorial discovery.. The work was purely scientific.

"We found abundant material for research which should be very valuable in forming an opinion of future conditions," said Dr. Kemp. "At present there is a land station at South Georgia, which is in charge of three scientists, who are doing very good and valuable work. Good work has also been done by the William Scoresby, an old whaler, for the last two years. That vessel is now at a home port in England. It is probable that the Discovery will return to the South, but no decision has yet been reached on that point.

"While in the Antarctic we have been trying to find the conditions under which whales live, conditions of water temperature, the state of the sea, etc. We have also tried to find something about the food and rate of migration of whales, a subject of which at present very little is known.

MARKING OF WHALES.

"Last season there was an abnormal amount of ice, the season lasting from April until September. A good deal was done with regard to the marking of whales, with a view to ascertaining if they were in the habit of migrating. The method employed was to fire plated darts into their bodies. This work will be more extensively carried on in the future, and better results can be looked for. Up to the present not very little information has been obtained on this point. Experiments were also made in marking various kinds of fish. With respect to the problem of whales decreasing in number, it was found that the humpbacked species had lately diminished, but the blue and fin species seem to be as abundant as ever.

"The question has been asked in the newspaper if whales are polygamous, but I think that that question was merely a newspaper 'stunt.' I have often found whales going in herds, all of one sex, and I do not think it likely that a whale would subsequently recognise the 'wives' it previously had. Moreover, I do not think that you can accuse the male whale of having a wife in every port."

THE SHIP'S HISTORY.

The Discovery should reach the Thames on October 1st. She is the first vessel built in the United Kingdom for the specific purpose of research work in Polar regions. Constructed for the National Antarctic Expedition, she arrived in London in June, 1901, and loaded stores for the expedition to the Far South. She left under the command of Captain Robert Falcon Scott, and among the ship's company was Lieutenant (afterwards Sir) Ernest Shackleton.

After calling at South Africa and New Zealand, where she was refitted and thoroughly overhauled, she made for the Antarctic regions. There she became icebound and relief expeditions were organised. On January 5, 1904, the Terra Nova and another vessel arrived off the edge of the fast ice and sighted the Discovery frozen in. The ice began to break up at about the end of January, and, with the assistance of blasting operations, the eighteen miles of ice, five to six feet thick, between the Discovery and the sea, were overcome, and she was finally freed on February 16th, 1904, after having been frozen for two years.

The three vessels reached Lyttleton, New Zealand, on April 1st, and the Discovery arrived at Spithead five months later.

In 1905 the Discovery was sold to the Hudson Bay Company, and for several years traded between the United Kingdom and Hudson Bay. The Crown agents for the Colonies for the Government of the Falkland Islands purchased her in 1923 with the intention of using her for the purpose of whaling research work, and the results achieved by her most recent voyage show that the famous ship's life of usefulness is not over.

CHEAPER BREAD IN DUBLIN.

REDUCED PRICES TO-DAY.

The Dublin master bakers announce that from to-day the price of the 2lb. loaf will be reduced to fivepence-farthing, delivered.

FIFTY MILES ON SKATES.

YOUNG WOMAN'S GREAT RACE.

A nineteen-year-old girl, Miss Vera Harper, yesterday skated from Big Ben, Westminster, London, to Brighton. Her time was six hours forty-one minutes, and she is the first girl to have accomplished the feat.

Miss Harper was taking part in the London to Brighton roller skate race, organised by the All Blacks' Club, Brixton, which started at 4.30 a.m. As she arrived in Brighton, with head bowed and looking exceedingly weak, she smiled to the crowd which had gathered.

Altogether 24 men and five girls competed, and the winner was Mr. A. Harmer, whose time was 4 hours 56 minutes. He thus beat the previous best time, held by Mr. A. Dunn, in 5 hours 17 minutes.

There were several casualties, but none of the competitors was seriously injured. Miss M. Sherwood, who cut her knees in a fall, completed the journey. She arrived in Brighton with her legs heavily bandaged, her time for the 52 miles being 8 hours 10 minutes.

"I am tired," she said, "but I am pleased to be the second girl to accomplish such a feat."

"I think I could do it again," said Miss Harper. "The roads were bad in places, but that is all in the game. It is a great test, and I am glad to be the first girl to have skated from London to Brighton."

Benny Lee, the half-mile professional world's champion, was frankly surprised at the performance of the girls. "It is astounding," he said. "I would never have thought that a girl could cover twenty miles, let alone fifty-two."

PANGALIST PLOT.

ARRESTS AT SALONIKA.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

ATHENS, Sunday.

Two superior officers have just been deported from Salonika to the Ægean Islands after having been found guilty of Pangalist propaganda, according to late reports.

It is declared that they had obtained the signatures of forty-seven officers of the Salonika garrison to a declaration of loyalty to the Pangalist movement. The authorities have confiscated this document, and a number of those who signed it have been arrested.

The document mentions the overthrow of the Administration and reform in the appointment of public functionaries. The under officers who have been arrested are known to be Pangalists, but many of them had not yet attached their names to the protocol.

The Government has declared that it is not alarmed by this new discovery, but will continue to take the most vigilant precautions against further agitation.

SENSATIONAL NEWS IN THE LEVANT.

SEMI-OFFICIAL DENIAL.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

ATHENS, Saturday.

A semi-official contradiction is issued here to the Turkish report that fragments of a Greek aeroplane had been discovered near the Island of Marmora, in the Sea of Marmora. The departments concerned state that no Greek aeroplane is missing, and that in any case the Greek distinctive mark is a blue and white cockade, not a cross, as described by the Turkish Press.

A positive contradiction is also given to the Vienna report that the First Army Corps of the Greek Army had been mobilised.

FRANCE AND UNITED STATES.

THE TARIFF PROBLEM.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Sunday.

The usual diplomatic channel will be employed for the further negotiations between France and the United States with regard to tariffs, and there seems to be no immediate possibility of the publication of the correspondence exchanged. An impression is, however, gaining ground that some compromise will be effected which will not be contrary to the position taken up by either party.

France might be content with the removal of various restrictions which tend to impede the export of French goods to America without demanding any concessions not in accordance with the Fordney tariff. The United States might, in exchange for such conditions, obtain a further cut in the duties on certain categories which, under the present French offer, will pay 50 per cent. of the general tariff and twice the special tariff accorded to Germany.

REBEL ACTIVITY IN SYRIA.

FRENCH AEROPLANES AT WORK.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

JERUSALEM, Sunday.

It is reported from Amman, Trans-Jordania, that a company of rebels appeared in the Leja, Syria, whence they secured the escape of political prisoners from Ezras

During several days French aeroplanes have been active over the area, as an attempt by troops to penetrate into it was unsuccessful.

There is no indication as to when the episode occurred.

AMERICAN CHARGED WITH FORGERY.

SEIZURE OF SHIP IN BRITISH WATERS.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

NEW YORK, Sunday.

An Associated Press message from Miami states that Charles Nesple, a former United States prohibition agent, has been arrested at Miami, charged with piracy on the high seas. He is alleged to have participated, as an unauthorised member of a coasting crew, in the seizure of a rum-running vessel, inside British waters.

THE BRITISH EMPIRE.

LEAGUE OF NATION'S ATTITUDE.

BELGIAN TRIBUTE

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

GENEVA, Sunday.

The following passage in the remarkable speech of M. de Brouckère, the Belgian delegate on disarmament before the Assembly of the League yesterday, has aroused much interest.

M. de Brouckère said: "We all recognise the sacrifice which some of the Great Powers have made for the solidarity of the nations. Sir Austen Chamberlain told us the other day of the great effort which the British Empire and Great Britain made for the League of Nations. We all listened with deep recognition and the sincere desire to understand the situation of the British Empire, and I can state most emphatically that there is no intent of manœuvring Great Britain or the British Empire into any course which it does not desire to follow. But we said that there might be groups of nations which could apply not only the principles of Locarno, but the wider principles of the Protocol."

GERMANY AND DISARMAMENT.

Herr Stresemann, speaking in German, in the course of his important speech on disarmament before the Assembly of the League yesterday, said: "The League of Nations will be judged by world public opinion according to the manner in which it tackles the problem of disarmament, and it must solve it if it is to yield valuable results in the future."

Continuing, Herr Stresemann said that Germany had emphatically declared that it was not necessary to make the beginning of general disarmament dependent on fresh guarantees of security. He need hardly say that it was the desire and intention of Germany to collaborate in the work that was proposed. "Let us hope," he added, "that the name of Locarno will become the symbol of security for neighbouring peoples and an ideal of friendly understanding and mutual confidence between nations. The country which was formerly regarded as the greatest military Power in the world is now disarmed, and it should, therefore, be all the easier for other countries to follow suit."

APPEAL BY THE FRENCH PREMIER.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

GUEBWILLER, UPPER RHINE, Sunday.

A fervent appeal for the pacific settlement of international disputes by arbitration was made here to-day by M. Poincaré during a speech at the unveiling of a war memorial to *chasseurs à pied* who fell in the war.

Murder as a means of deciding conflicts, he said, was a challenge to humanity. Like every sensible man, he wanted to see the habit of arbitration substituted for that of violence, and he hoped that the day was not far distant when war would be the execrated memory of a bygone age.

Attainment of that goal did not, however, depend on France alone. She was forced to take precautions against the repetition of the ill, which was deplored. If ever, by mischance, France should again be the victim of aggression, she would have to rely again on the generous virtues which saved her during the Great War.

"We want peace," he concluded, "and we are working for it without respite and without discouragement. Let us forget evil and injustice, but do not let us forget the greatness of France or the valour of her sons."

GERMANY'S "ROGUERY?—"

FRANCE AND STRESEMANN INTERVIEW.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Sunday.

The interview with Dr. Stresemann on the question of Germany's war guilt, published by the *Matin* yesterday, is the subject of some comment this morning by the other papers, who see in it a manœuvre on the part of Germany aimed at overthrowing the juridical basis of the Treaty of Versailles and suspending the execution of its clauses. "The roguery is too thinly concealed," says the *Figaro*.

SACCO-VANZETTI SABOTAGE?

LEGIONARIES' TRAIN HAS NARROW ESCAPE.

PARIS, Sunday.

What appear to have been two attempts by Sacco-Vanzetti sympathisers to wreck the train transporting the American Legionaries to Nice have been made near Cannes and Monaco.

A bomb, which exploded just before midnight on Saturday between Cannes and the Golfe de Juan, destroyed the permanent way for a distance of two feet.

Fortunately the express was not derailed, but the driver reported when he brought the train to a standstill that he had the impression that the train ran on the ballast for a short distance.

Investigation showed that this was correct, and traffic had to be stopped until the damage was repaired. The repairs were finished by five o'clock this morning, and the train in which the Legionaries were travelling passed over just after nine.

The second attempt at sabotage was discovered this morning by plate-layers between Cap d'Ail and Monaco, large blocks of stone having been placed on the track.

The Americans arrived at Nice at 10.30 a.m., and were given an enthusiastic reception.

INDIAN FLOOD VICTIMS.

LORD BIRKENHEAD AND RELIEF FUND.

Reuter's Agency learns that the Executive Council of the Indian Floods Relief Fund have received the following communication from Lord Birkenhead's private secretary:—

"Lord Birkenhead asks me to inform you that he will have much pleasure in sending a donation of £10 to the Indian Floods Relief Fund. A cheque for this amount will be forwarded shortly to the treasurer.

"The Secretary of State trusts that your Committee will find that a generous response is made to their appeal in this country for funds to supplement those being raised in India to relieve the widespread distress caused by the recent disastrous floods in Gujerat and Sind."

WOMAN CYCLIST KILLED.

MACHINE DASHES INTO A WALL.

GIRL PASSENGER INJURED.

MOTOR CYCLE TEST TRIALS ABANDONED.

Miss H. Marjorie Cartledge (30), of Barnsley, Secretary of the Yorkshire Ladies' Motor Club, was killed yesterday while competing in the first women's test trial to be held in Yorkshire.

Miss Cartledge was driving a 3½ h.p. combination, with Miss Nellie Holling, of Barnsley, as passenger. They had covered about twenty-five miles of the course, which included several steep hills and water splashes, and when descending Redshaw Bank, an awkward hill with a rough surface and a sharp bend at the bottom, the driver apparently lost control and ran into a wall.

The combination swung round and overturned, throwing both women on to the road. Miss Cartledge was knocked unconscious, and died soon afterwards. Miss Holling, who received a nasty cut on the forehead, was conveyed ten miles on a motor pillion to a doctor.

Miss Holling, in an interview, said:—"We were going down a hill at a moderate speed, not more than fifteen miles an hour. When near the bottom Miss Cartledge exclaimed 'Oh.' I thought she meant that she did not feel able to get round the sharp bend at the bottom. She swerved to the right hand side of the road, and the machine then struck the wall. It turned completely round and overturned. I was thrown out, and my head struck the road.

"I got up immediately, and saw Miss Cartledge lying in the middle of the road. She was unconscious. I got her to the side of the road and placed a cushion under her head. Other competitors then came on the scene and gave assistance."

In consequence of the accident the trial tests were abandoned for the day.

FIGHT IN LONDON STREET.

REVOLVERS AND BOTTLES USED.

Exciting scenes were witnessed last night in Acton street, Gray's Inn road, London, when two gangs of youths came to blows; shots were fired and bottles thrown; but apparently no one was hit by the shots. Two youths, however, were taken to the Royal Free Hospital. One was unconscious, suffering from head wounds and concussion. The other had severe scalp wounds, and scratches on the head. Shortly before 10 o'clock a number of young men were seen at the back of a public-house, off Gray's Inn road, where, it is alleged, they armed themselves with bottles, and hurrying away met a smaller group of young men.

Out-numbered and overwhelmed, the attacked youths gave way, followed by their assailants, brandishing revolvers and throwing bottles. Behind the pursuing band ran a frantic woman, brandishing a poker and dealing out blows indiscriminately, right and left.

ARRIVAL OF FIRE BRIGADE.

Shouting, smashing of glass, the sound of shots, and the general outcry caused great alarm in the neighbourhood. People who had been standing on the pavement dashed into the nearest houses, and many householders barricaded their doors. The fight surged down the street, and a number of men were seen to fall. A man rang the fire alarm. This brought the Brigade quickly on the scene. The firemen found a man lying in the gutter unconscious. They picked him up, and he was taken to hospital. A number of police arrived shortly afterwards, but no arrests were made.

AIR "ATTACK" ON THE TYNE.

TESTING THE DEFENCES.

A Royal Air Force squadron of Woodcock fighters "attacked" the Tyne from the air on last Saturday night to test the air defences of the district.

Five detachments of Tyne electrical engineers were stationed at Wallsend, North Shields, Tynemouth, Whitley Bay, and Backworth with powerful searchlights.

The enemy aircraft opened the operations from Cranlington Aerodrome, where a number of officials watched the machines take-off and land in the dark.

COMMUNIST PLOTS.

ARREST OF DUTCH-INDIAN STUDENT AGITATORS.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

THE HAGUE, Sunday.

Official circles here have been considerably upset by the recent discoveries of extensive Communist plots among Dutch-Indian students at the Universities of Amsterdam, Leyden, and The Hague. Not only has evidence come to light indicating that the students have been receiving strong financial support from Moscow, but it has been further revealed that propaganda was about to be launched for the stimulation of a new Communist revolt in the Dutch East Indies.

A number of arrests have been made among the members of the student bodies in each of the three famous universities, and among them is that of Mohammed Hatta, President of the Indian Student Communist Organisation. News of the police investigation spread rapidly, and Hatta managed to escape, fleeing to Paris. His whereabouts were discovered, however, and he was secretly returned to The Hague, where he will stand trial along with his fellow-agitators.

HONOUR FOR DUBLIN ORGANIST.

Dr. George H. P. Hewson, Organist and Choirmaster of St. Patrick's Cathedral, Dublin, has been offered the post of Organist and Choirmaster of the great Church of the Ascension in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Dr. Hewson has not yet decided whether he will accept the offer. It is pleasant, however, to find a Dublin organist's worth recognised abroad.

A GIFT FROM THE KING OF ITALY

NEW YORK (by Mail.)

The King and Queen of Italy have, it is announced, given two paintings to the Casa Italiana, Columbia University's new centre of Italian culture, which is to be dedicated on October 12. The paintings are now on their way to America. Tapestries and rare objects of art are also expected as gifts from the Italian Government.—(Reuter.)

WORLD'S FASTEST RACE.

SCHNEIDER CUP TO-DAY.

325 MILES AN HOUR.

Owing to a south-westerly gale at Lido, Venice, yesterday, the Schneider Cup contest had to be postponed. Weather permitting, the race will take place to-day.

The Schneider Cup is the blue riband of the air. Last year Major de Bernardi won it for Italy at the great speed of 246.49 miles an hour. This year there are six competitors—three British and three Italians—and a British success is expected.

One of the British machines, a Supermarine Napier S5, which is piloted by Flight-Lieutenant S. N. Webster, has attained the terrific speed of 325 miles an hour in her trials.

Every one of the competing pilots will take his life in his hands. A five-miles-a-minute rush through the air is regarded by experts as being near the limit of human endurance. Moreover, there are two acute angles on the course, and in order to get round these without sacrificing valuable seconds the pilots must "bank" their machines at a dangerous angle. It is said that "banking," even at 260 miles an hour, has the effect of numbing the brain.

The course must be covered seven times, making a total distance of 218 miles.

The competing airmen and their seaplanes in the order in which they will "take off" are:—

Flight-Lieutenant S. M. Kinkead (Britain)—Gloster-Napier IVB.

Major de Bernardi (Italy)—Macchi-Fiat.

Flight-Lieutenant S. N. Webster (Britain)—Supermarine-Napier S5.

Lieutenant Guazetti (Italy)—Macchi Monoplane.

Flight-Lieutenant O. E. Worsley (Britain)—Supermarine-Napier S5.

Lieutenant Ferrarir (Italy)—Macchi-Fiat.

AEROPLANES COLLIDE.

ROYAL AIR FORCE PILOT KILLED.

The following statement was issued last Saturday by the Air Ministry, London:—

"The Air Ministry regrets to announce that, as the result of a collision in the air at Duxford Aerodrome at 10.30 a.m. between an Avro 504K machine, of No. 19 (F) Squadron, and a Siskin 3A machine, No. 111 (F) Squadron, No. 346,825 Sergeant James Kelly, pilot and sole occupant of the Siskin, was killed.

"The pilot and passenger of the Avro machine were uninjured."

The pilot of the Avro machine was Pilot-Sergeant Costosevin, who had Leading Aircraftsman Lock as passenger.

Describing the accident, an eye-witness said:—

"It is astonishing that Costosevin and Lock should have escaped death or serious injury. Both machines struck the ground with terrific force and were completely wrecked. Kelly was dead when extricated, but Costosevin and Lock climbed out of the wreckage unaided and complained only of being badly shaken.

"The two machines were on bombing practice and were circling over the aerodrome at a low altitude when the wing of one touched the tail of the other. Both pilots made desperate efforts to regain control, but were unable to avoid a crash.

"Kelly was very popular at Duxford, where his abilities as an airman were regarded as of a very high order."

This was the forty-fourth fatal accident in the Royal Air Force this year. Last year there were eighty-five for the whole year.

At the inquest held last Saturday night at the aerodrome the coroner returned a verdict that Sergeant Kelly met his death from injuries received from crashing while flying in the execution of his duty.

FORCED LANDING.

EXCITING EXPERIENCE FOR PASSENGERS.

Bad weather in the English Channel caused the pilot of an Imperial Airways machine, with fourteen passengers, to make a forced landing at Lympne, near Folkestone, last Saturday night.

The machine had come from Cologne, and after stopping at Brussels flew for some time in the teeth of a strong wind. The passengers, most of whom were Americans, went on to London by train, and the pilot continued his journey in the machine to Croydon yesterday morning.

INJURED PILOT.

SOLDIER GIVES A PINT OF BLOOD.

To save the life of Captain Anthony Milburn, who was seriously injured in an aeroplane accident at Sherburn-in-Elmet, Yorkshire, on last Friday afternoon, when his passenger, Miss Dorothy Ellison, an Irishwoman, was killed, Private Ramsay, R.A.M.C., has given a pint of his blood.

This was the twelfth time that Ramsay, who is stationed at York, had volunteered for blood transfusion in critical cases. Captain Milburn had a foot amputated, and the transfusion of blood was successfully carried out last Saturday at a nursing home in York. The doctors believe that he will owe his life to Ramsay's sacrifice.

AIRSHIP SERVICE

BETWEEN AUSTRALIA AND ENGLAND.

SYDNEY, Sunday.

Following the reports of the British Airship Mission, which has been visiting Australia to investigate the possibilities of aerial development here, Mr. Bruce, the Prime Minister, announces that the Cabinet has decided to proceed immediately with the preliminaries for the establishment of an airship service between Great Britain and Australia.—(Reuter.)

NUNGESSER MYSTERY.

FRENCH CONSUL AND KERRY STORY.

M. Alfred Blanche, French Consul for Ireland, told an *Irish Times* reporter yesterday that he did not believe that there was anything in the story that Nungesser and Coli, the French airmen, who were lost last May when trying to cross the Atlantic, met their deaths by

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LATE NEWS.

AMERICAN NAVAL POLICY.

DISCUSSION WITHIN THE NAVY.

In a despatch from Washington yesterday, *The Times* Correspondent states:—What in effect is a restatement of the Administration's views on naval policy given out from the White House has made clear that the failure of the Geneva Conference on the limitation of naval armaments is not regarded as justifying any extension of the building programme of the United States beyond the plans laid down before the Conference met. It is conceded in general terms that additional cruisers are required, but there is no reference to other activities, apart from an indication that little, if any, increase in the number of submarines is contemplated. President Coolidge's hopes for economy are thought to be fortified by a hot discussion within the Navy itself as to whether the appropriations already received are being expended to the greatest advantage.

According to Rear Admiral T. P. Magruder, Head of the Philadelphia Navy Yard, who has stirred up a hornet's nest by an article in the current *Saturday Evening Post*, there is a rotten condition. The Navy is spending $300,000,000 and getting $200,000,000 worth of Navy. The Admiral accuses the Naval Administration of the worst faults of bureaucracy, including gross extravagance. He is supported by a strong body of opinion within the Service itself, and a movement toward some form of examination and reform is a possible consequence. Certainly the controversy puts a strong argument in the hands of those who wish to limit naval expenditure so far as possible, since they can fairly ask that the Navy must make the best use of what it has before asking for more.

THE LATE PROFESSOR STOKES.

HIS WORK DURING THE WAR.

Major-General Sir Robert Porter writes, as the D.M.S. of the Second Army in France during the war:—I hope you will permit me to pay this tribute to a gallant gentleman, who by his great scientific work, saved the lives and helped to heal the wounds of a large number of British soldiers. Adrian Stokes joined the Second Army early in 1915, establishing himself and his mobile laboratory at Remy Siding, where a casualty clearing station was located. This centre very rapidly grew, until in 1917 there were five clearing stations, capable of accommodating upwards of 5,000 patients. Here Stokes worked day in and day out, until the end of the war, at such diseases as trench fever, tetanus, trench foot, infectious jaundice, septic wounds, etc. His methods of research and his unerring judgment soon gained for him great prominence in the medical service of the Army, and he came to be looked upon as an authority on the problems requiring solution that came within the ambit of preventive medicine. His work in the laboratory was continuous, indeed, I might say laborious, and I had often to remind him that his life was a valuable one, and could not easily be replaced, urging him often to take a little leave. He was, however, so much engrossed in the elucidation of the many problems connected with the health of the Army that it was difficult to persuade him to take occasional leave to England.

WORK IN BELGIUM.

Major-General Sir Guise Guise-Moores writes:—During the winter of 1914-15 typhoid was rife in the civil population of Belgium. The British Army medical authorities were concerned, for though inoculation against the enteric group of diseases was in vogue, it was not compulsory, and there was always the fear and the possibility of the non-inoculated soldier contracting any one of them. With this in mind, a hospital for the reception of such cases occurring among the civilian population was opened at Malassise, near St. Omer, in the new year of 1915. Stokes joined the staff as pathologist, and at once started a laboratory. He put heart and soul into bacteriological intricacies of diagnosis. He solved the carrier difficulties, and thus enabled us to retain in hospital, or keep under medical supervision, suspects who might otherwise have become *media* for the spread of disease. With Colonel Lyle Cummins, Stokes took a prominent part in advising a regularised and systematic inoculation of the civil population throughout the Belgian area occupied by British troops. By all these means enteric was wiped out. Stokes possessed the attributes needed for the successful scientific investigator—namely, keeness, patience, fearlessness and concentration. His loss will be greatly felt throughout the medical profession, and not least by the Army Medical authorities, who had the great advantage of securing his scientific attainments and striking personality throughout the Great War.

AN ANONYMOUS LETTER.

MURDER OF STATIONMASTER RECALLED.

Sixteen years ago the station master at Lintz Green, a lonely station on the London North-Eastern Railway line between Newcastle and Consett, was murdered, and the police failed to trace the murderer. Recently in consequence of Scotland Yard receiving an anonymous letter the Glasgow police have made further enquiries. The letter alleged that a man living in a suburb of Glasgow could throw some light on the affair. Officers from the Queen's Park Division, Glasgow, have traced this man and are satisfied that he was not living in the North at the time and knows nothing of the matter.

The Lintz Green murder was committed in 1911. The station master, after locking up for the night and saying "Good night" to the booking clerk went to his house at the back of the station buildings. A few minutes later a revolver shot was heard and the station master was found shot through the heart.

PREVENTION OF FOREST FIRES IN FRANCE.

WARNING BY THE PREFECT OF THE VAR.

PARIS, Saturday.

Although there is no proof that the forest fires which devastated large tracts of country in the South of France were due to incendiarism, the Prefect of the Var has issued a decree warning any persons who might conceivably have started the fires for their own ends, that they will be punished.

In Southern countries, after a fire, the soil where the forest stood is quickly covered by fresh green grass, which makes excellent pasture land. The suggestion has been put forward that possibly shepherds deliberately fired certain tracts in order to provide pasture for their flocks. If this is the case, they will have committed their crime for no purpose, for the Prefect of the Var has forbidden the use of the ravaged forest land as pasture ground for a period of ten years. This drastic step is based on similar measures taken in Corsica.—(Reuter.)

SOVIET'S OFFER TO FRANCE.

REQUEST FOR LARGE LOAN.

PARIS COMMENT.

THE EXPERIENCE OF ENGLAND.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Sunday.

M. Rakowsky, the Soviet Ambassador in Paris, has addressed a letter to M. de Monzie, the President of the French Delegation, to the Franco-Soviet Debt Funding Conference, dated September 21, in which he states that a considerable step has been made towards an agreement, and that the main lines of the question have been settled.

He further declares that the two delegations agreed on March 19 last that the definite sum of 60 million gold francs should be paid annually on an average, as the Soviet's share of the settlement of pre-war loans issued or guaranteed by the former Russian Governments.

The technical method of payment, M. Rakowsky states, was fixed in the course of previous negotiations by the experts from the delegations and confirmed by the plenary meetings; thus all the necessary factors for a complete agreement regarding the debts have already been secured. Only the question of loans remains to be settled.

NOW ASKING FOR A SMALLER LOAN.

On this point the delegation of the Soviets obtained from their Government permission to diminish consnsiderably the amoant for which they had at first asked—namely, 220,000,000 dollars (£44,000,000).

The delegation of the Soviets declare themselves ready to examine with the French delegation the question of solid guarantees to secure the new bondholders against possible risk. The letter adds that in offering French industries a share of the Russian markets for a long-stated period, the delegation of the Soviets believe that this offer meets the anxieties of French industries, especially as the trade between the two countries is continually improving.

The Soviet Government declares itself ready to pay into the Bank of France within six months to date from to-day the sum of 30,000,000 gold francs (£1,200,000), in order to provide for the half-yearly interest owing to the holders of pre-war Russian debts.

This sum, M. Rakowsky states, would be paid immediately after the ratification by both Governments of the agreements on pre-war debts and loans.

"THE SAME OLD JOKE."

HOSTILE COMMENTS IN PARIS PRESS.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Saturday.

Most of the newspapers comment this morning on the question of Russian debts, with particular reference to the latest Note sent by M. Rakowsky to M. de Monzie. All the papers emphasise that the question of the repayment of these debts is closely connected with that of the granting of fresh credits.

The *Figaro* describes the proceedings as "the same old joke," while the *Gaulois* also thinks that the Soviet Government is mocking France.

The *Echo de Paris* writes:—"The French public is less simple than is imagined at Moscow, and the business men, before allowing themselves to be taken in by the Russian mirage, will remember England's unfortunate experience."

"A PERPETUAL MENACE OF WAR."

The *Avenir* asks whether France will consent to contribute to the refloating of a *régime* which openly preaches the fight against the national *bourgeoisie* and against the capitalist nations, and whose insolence makes itself felt by the peoples of the whole world as a perpetual menace of war.

Less hostile comment comes from the *Ere Nouvelle*, which thinks that the important thing at the moment is to establish a new atmosphere between France and Russia and to substitute a policy of negotiation for one of antagonism.

The *Humanité* vigorously defends the Soviet cause, and says that a rupture with the Soviets in the present circumstances would be both a crime and a swindle.

CREDITS THE CRUX.

"DIVERGENT VIEWS" AS TO FIGURES.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS (Later).

A certain time will probably elapse before the French delegation to the Franco-Soviet Debts Conference is able to study in detail the Soviet's new proposals, as forwarded by M. Rakowsky to M. de Monzie. It is the question of credits which will give rise to the greatest amount of discussion.

M. Rakowsky, in his letter, affirms that at the plenary sittings of the Debts Conference it was agreed that there should be a correlation of the questions of debts and credits, and that they should receive a simultaneous solution. He further declares that, according to suggestions made in the course of private conversations, the French delegation was in a

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position to advise the French Government to agree to credits not exceeding a total of 60,000,000 dollars, payable at the rate of twelve millions annually for five years.

"The question of credits is thus reduced to a divergence of views as regards the figures," the Soviet Ambassador deduces.

It is possible that a French statement defining the precise position in regard to several of the points in M. Rakowsky's letter may be issued later.

TEXT OF THE SOVIET'S PROPOSALS.

The text of the proposals made by the Soviet delegation is as follows:—

The Soviet delegation proposes to incorporate in the agreement which will be concluded between the two delegations on the question of pre-war debts and loans the following points:—

The Soviet Government agrees to pay as its quota for the settlement of pre-war loans issued or guaranteed by former pre-war Governments and quoted in France, 41 annual payments of 60 million gold francs each, representing the average number of the annual payments originally drawn up in the contracts of issue.

Ten annual payments of 60 million gold francs each on account of arrears representing compensation for payments which were not carried out since the interruption of the service of the debt.

Ten annual payments of 60 million gold francs each on account of a supplementary bonus.

MODIFICATION OF PRESENT AGREEMENT.

The present agreement will be modified in the case of the Soviet Government granting, all other conditions being equal, to subjects of other countries holding pre-war obligations, guaranteed by former Russian Governments, more favourable treatment than that accorded to their French creditors. In this case the present agreement will be modified so as to grant the French nationals an identical settlement on all points. The annual payments will be paid into the common fund of the Russian loans which will be constituted in Paris in agreement between the French and Soviet Governments. This body will carry out distribution of the annual payments provided for in Paragraph I.

The bonds admitted for payment will give the right to new coupons to be handed over by the common fund. The bonds at present possessed by nationals who are not of French nationality, and which are non-quoted in France, will be excluded from the present agreement.

INDUSTRIAL AND COMMERCIAL CREDITS IN FRANCE.

Industrial and commercial credits will be opened in France for the development of economic relations between France and Soviet Russia on the following conditions:—

The total figure of these credits is fixed at 120 million dollars (£24,000,000), and these credits will be granted by annual instalments of 20 million dollars during a period of six years.

They will be spent entirely on contracts with French industries, upon purchases from French business houses, purchases of colonial produce being included, in the proportion of two-thirds for contracts and one-third for purchases.

The credits will be exclusively destined for productive purposes—that is to say, for the purchase of tools and machinery for the industries, agriculture, transport and municipal needs of the U.S.S.R.

The redemption of each instalment of the credits will take place after six years, but the payment of interest will begin at the end of the first year after the credits have been granted.

The Soviet delegation is ready to examine, with the French delegation, the positive guarantees which are necessary to assure the regular payment of the interest and principal of these credits.

GLASGOW ORPHEUS CHOIR.

CONCERT IN DUBLIN.

Since its last concert in Dublin, the Glasgow Orpheus Choir has visited America and won fresh laurels. In ordinary circumstances, the audience to greet the choir on its new visit to Dublin would have been greater than that actually assembled at the Theatre Royal last night. Civic Week musical events, however, have taken toll of musical folks' pocket-money; and there were empty places in the theatre.

Those who went to the theatre came away full of praise for the beauty and skill of the choir's singing, and the genius of its conductor, Mr. Hugh S. Roberton. After this, the choir will have a still larger following of admirers in Dublin. That they were not few, even before the concert, was proved by the requests, called from various parts of the theatre for particular numbers in the repertoire. Indeed, it was stated by Mr. Roberton that requests had been received by letter, which would have taken three weeks' of concerts to fulfil.

Mr. Roberton limits his choir to a membership of sixty, and is able to pick and choose among many capable volunteers. Nothing is performed till it is thoroughly within the choir's grasp. Every member must be able to sing everything in the repertoire from memory. With eyes free to watch the conductor all the time, and with poise of body free for production of good tone, the choir attains to the maximum of effect in all its music. Last night, in many numbers, it produced thrilling *fortissimo* tone, but, better still, was the lovely *pianissimo*, in which the choir excels.

In a long programme were at least a dozen numbers that one would like to mention as specially beautiful. "Deep River," an arrangement of one of the negro "spirituals," was the gem of the first half of the programme. Later, when the choir had established its hold on the attention of the audience, it brought forward more delicate work, including a setting by Elgar of a pensive little poem of Walter de la Mare, "The Prince of Sleep"; Parry's lovely motet, "There is an old belief," and pieces by Mr. Roberton himself for men's voices and women's voices separately. The last section began with the late Dr. Jozé's choral version of the "Londonderry Air," and ended with Benet's madrigal, "All creatures now are merry minded." The last was perfection of choral technique. Among numerous encore pieces, one of the most impressive was the singing of an old Scottish psalm-tune.

Three members of the choir were heard in solos, which were enjoyable, but left chief honours safely with the choir as a body.

FATHER, MOTHER AND DAUGHTER BURNED.

ACCIDENT IN BELFAST HOME.

Sarah Jane Gorman (11) was playing in front of a fire at her home, 19 Alexandra street, Belfast, yesterday, when her clothing caught fire, and she was severely burned on the face, back and legs. Her father and mother, who attempted to put out the flames, were also burned on the hands and face. The child and her parents were taken to the Mater Hospital, where the little girl was detained for treatment. The parents, after their injuries were dressed, were able to return home.

THE MOST REV. DR. BYRNE.

His Grace the Most Reverend Dr. Byrne has left Dublin for some weeks. Correspondence will not be forwarded. In his absence all diocesan business will be transacted at the Archiepiscopal Vicariate, 47 Westland row.

MISSING ALIEN IMMIGRANT.

The police are searching for a young German Jew, who arrived in a steamer which called at Gravesend a couple of days ago, and was refused permission to land. While being detained by the Aliens' Officer in the waiting room at West street railway station, he got through a window and disappeared. He left his luggage behind, but carried away a large leather-bound album.

DERRY GIRL'S DEATH.

DISPENSARY DOCTOR'S EXPLANATION.

GUARDIANS ASK FOR SWORN INQUIRY.

By direction of the Northern Ministry for Home Affairs, a special meeting of the Londonderry Board of Guardians was held last Saturday. The meeting was a sequel to the sudden death of Miss Sarah Anderson, aged 24 years, who took ill on a Saturday night at 9.30 o'clock and died within eleven hours without having medical attendance, although it was stated that her father called upon four doctors, including the dispensary medical officer for the district, and requested them to see his daughter.

The Ministry, in their letter to the Guardians, stated that their attention had been drawn to the report of the inquest held on the 16th inst. concerning the death of the girl, and that it appeared from the Press reports that the father of the girl made more than one attempt to secure the attendance of the dispensary medical officer, and presented a night red ticket. It would appear that the application for the medical officer's attendance was first made before midnight, but that he did not attend the case until ten o'clock next morning, after the girl had died.

The Ministry was of opinion that in fairness both to the doctor himself and to the district under his charge, it was imperative that the allegations should be inquired into by the Guardians at the earliest possible moment, and that it was undesirable that the matter should be deferred until the next ordinary meeting of the Guardians. They accordingly requested the clerk to summon an extraordinary meeting of the Guardians in order that the matter might be dealt with without delay.

The Chairman (Dr. Thomas MacLoughlin) stated that he hoped that any discussion that took place would be conducted with decorum and without heat, so that the best interests of all concerned would be satisfied.

DOCTOR'S LETTER.

The Clerk said that he had forwarded a copy of the Ministry's letter to Dr. A. N. Craig, the dispensary medical officer, who replied as follows:—

"*Re* Anderson case: He first came for me at 3 a.m. on Sunday morning, 11th September, and at 5 a.m. on the same morning, and I was out on both occasions, being engaged on two cases, one a dispensary case and the other a private case. The mistake about the hour of his first call was owing to my housekeeper being awakened out of her sleep. She thought that it was 12 instead of 3 o'clock a.m. He had no dispensary line at either time, nor did he state to my housekeeper that it was a dispensary case. He stated at the inquest he would pay for the services of a doctor. He left in the dispensary line about 7.50 on Sunday morning. He came back at 8.15 a.m. the same morning. When I saw him he said his daughter was very ill with pain in her side. I said to him to apply a linseed meal poultice, and I would be round shortly to see her.

"I arrived at her house shortly before 10 a.m., and she was then dead. I think she died about 8.30 a.m. on Sunday morning, so I could not have done anything for her. I saw her the previous Wednesday as a private patient at her own house, when she complained of a pain in her side, which I treated, and from which she recovered. That was the one and only time I saw the girl alive. Anderson never mentioned to me that he had gone for three doctors. If I had thought the case, as revealed at the *post mortem*, was so serious, I would have gone immediately. I am almost certain that at that hour nothing could have saved her life, viz., at the hour the line was handed in. This is the only explanation I have to offer, viz., that at the time on Sunday morning he employed me as dispensary doctor nothing could have saved her life. I hope this explanation will be satisfactory, otherwise I wish to tender my resignation as medical officer of the urban and dispensary district."

Mr. Finlay asked who issued the line.

Mr. McMenamin, a member of the Board, said that he issued it.

Alderman Blair asked would it be right to go on now when the doctor had tendered his resignation.

The Chairman said that if the Guardians accepted his explanation as satisfactory his resignation would not be tendered. If they did not consider it satisfactory then his resignation automatically took effect.

A SWORN INQUIRY.

Mr. J. R. Scott, D.L., moved that they ask the Ministry to appoint a Local Government Inspector to hold a sworn inquiry into Dr. Craig's conduct in this case, and into the general administration of dispensary relief in this district. He said that it would hardly be satisfactory to the public or themselves if there was not an inquiry into, not only this matter, but other complaints which had been made about Dr. Craig. He did not know anything about them, but he knew that they received a complaint some time ago, and they accepted his explanation without any inquiry. Now they had a further complaint, and the Ministry had asked them to have an inquiry. He thought, therefore, that they should have a sworn inquiry, in justice to the poor and also in justice to Dr. Craig himself. The Ministry or the public would not be at all satisfied if they accepted this explanation. An inquiry would settle once and for all whether there was anything in these complaints. Dr. Craig was one of their officers, and they were bound to support him where they could, and see that his reputation was cleared; and also that the poor got the medical attendance that they were entitled to.

Mr. Boyle seconded, but said that the question arose who would attend the inquiry to give evidence against him.

The Chairman said that that was the crux of the whole matter.

Mr. Boyle said that the position was very awkward, because they might get no one voluntarily in the city to accuse Dr. Craig of not doing his duty.

Mr. Cochrane said that if the charge was not substantiated the Board would be relieved of responsibility.

Alderman Blair said that the friends of the girl had made no charge.

The Chairman said that the Belfast authorities were acting on the evidence at the inquest.

Alderman Blair said that they could rest assured that these people would not give evidence at the inquiry.

Mr. Irwin said that their duty was to follow the course outlined by Mr. Scott.

The motion was passed.

NORTHERN LABOUR PARTY.

THE TEMPERANCE QUESTION.

The half yearly Conference of the Northern Ireland Labour Party was held in Belfast on Saturday, Mr. M. Courtney presiding.

Resolutions were passed strongly repudiating the suggestions of jobbery by members of the party in the Corporation, and, while welcoming the exposure of extravagance, promising all posible resistance to proposals to reduce the earnings of the Corporation workers.

The Executive Council was instructed to examine the temperance question and formulate a policy for the party.

Mr. S. Kyle, M.P., said that, personally, he was in favour of the nationalisation of the drink problem.

UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE.

A discussion arose in regard to unemployment insurance. A report on the subject stated that the party had called on the Government to initiate a scheme whereby workers living in Northern Ireland and working in the Free State should be enabled to draw unemployment benefit.

Mr. Kyle said that when the matter was first raised they were told that the fault lay with the Free State Ministry. Now, it appeared that when the Free State Minister made certain proposals he was informed that the Minister in Northern Ireland could only discuss the matter when the social services of the Free State came on a level with those of Northern Ireland. He (Mr. Kyle) believed that the deadlock was due to the stubborness of the Government of Northern Ireland.

BANK OF IRELAND CLERKSHIPS. Last exam. (Ladies)—8 Successes. BEST RESULT. Last exam. (Males)—All the Students sent forward from our Oral Classes were successful. Oral and Correspondence Classes.—SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin.—(Advt.)

WORLD'S FASTEST RACE.

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falling into the sea near the mouth of the Shannon.

"Since our fliers disappeared," he said, "I have, of course, made every inquiry possible, and though I have heard many rumours, so far there has been no foundation for them. I lost no time in getting into touch with the Government of your country and the police, and I am sure, if anything of the fliers or their machine, The White Bird, had been seen around the coast, I would have been informed. Inquiries were made wherever it was thought that it would be possible to obtain information, but to no end."

PARACHUTE JUMPS.

WASHINGTON, Sunday.

Nine Marines and naval men have made successive safe parachute jumps from a three-engined transport aeroplane, travelling at 120 miles an hour, at an altitude of 2,000 feet. All landed safely at Bollingfield. It is believed that this performance constitutes a record.—(Exchange.)

ACCIDENT ON FRENCH COAST.

LE BOURGET, Sunday.

News has been received here that an English touring aeroplane capsized to-day on the beach at Cayeux-sur-Mer, twenty-six miles north of Dieppe. The passengers were unhurt.—(Reuter.)

AIR CLUBS.

CANADIAN GOVERNMENT'S PROPOSALS.

OTTAWA, September 23.

With a view to encouraging the development of aviation, Colonel J. L. Ralston, Minister for Defence, announces that the Government is to assist in the establishment of light aeroplane clubs in the larger centres of Canada. The Government will issue two aeroplanes to every approved club, on the condition that the club provides for their maintenance, and also a field or seaplane station and instructor.

Every year the Government may issue another aeroplane to every club that supplies similar aircraft itself. The Minister said that since the Armistice there had been few opportunities for young Canadians to learn to fly, though aviation was yearly playing a greater part in the development of Canada. Aviation would play an increasing part in national defence, and consequently a widespread knowledge of flying in the Dominion was desirable. Clubs would do much to encourage the "air sense" in the rising generation.—(Reuter.)

DRIVING DOCTORS OUT OF THE COUNTRY.

TIPPERARY BOARD'S PROTEST AGAINST APPOINTMENT.

At a meeting of the North Tipperary County Board of Health, Mr. N. Gleeson (Chairman) presiding, a protest was made against the appointment of a stranger as Medical Officer to the Toomevara (Nenagh) Dispensary District, and a resolution adopted in reference to same, and ordered to be sent to the Local Government Department.

The Secretary, Local Appointments Commission, wrote stating that in compliance with the request received from the Board of Health in connection with the vacant position of Medical Officer of Toomevara Dispensary District, he was directed to state that they recommended Dr. Edward Gerard Joseph Cournane (otherwise Edmond Joseph Cournane), of 28 Sandymount avenue, Ballsbridge, Dublin, for appointment to the Toomevara Dispensary District.

The Chairman said that the Board had sent a resolution to Dublin asking the Appointments Commissioners to confine the selection of a medical officer to North Tipperary. They further asked them to send down the list of names of candidates, but the whole thing had been ignored.

Mr. R. Cleary—It is rather a peculiar action for them to send down a Kerryman to Tipperary, while there are plenty of qualified men in this county. Are the Tipperary doctors to get no chance in their own county?

Mr. Walsh referred to the fact that two fully qualified doctors had to leave Nenagh for England, where he was certain they would be welcomed, while in their own county they would not get a chance. It was strange that these young Irish doctors were qualified enough to treat the people of England, but they were not good enough to treat the people of Tipperary. It was a shameful state of things. They were talking about John Bull, Lloyd George and King George driving the Irish out of Ireland, but it was the Irish themselves who were driving them out.

Chairman—There is something radically wrong in the whole thing.

Proceeding, the Chairman referred to similar appointments in Leix and Offaly.

Mr. Cleary—And a similar thing has happened in Clare and in Carlow.

The Chairman said the whole system of appointments was in disfavour all over the country, and justly so. There was no member of the Board who would tolerate corruption or bribery in any of the appointments of dispensary doctors, and yet they had been branded with it.

ARE THE HOME FIRES BURNING LOW?

MAGISTRATE'S QUESTION TO PARENTS.

"Youth is supposed to have lost its way, but sometimes I wonder if the older folks have let the homes fires burn low," said Mr. J. A. R. Cairns, the Metropolitan magistrate, speaking yesterday at the dedication of a clock at St. Paul's Church, Spittal, Northumberland.

Appealing for greater home life among the people of to-day, Mr. Cairns said that in the history of the world there had been the age of chivalry and then industrial revolution. This was now the age of advertising and loud speakers, and four-figure men were the standards of success. But there were more enduring fortunes than that—the heritage of love of parents, home, the countryside, children, loyalty to duty, self-sacrifice and endurance.

ULSTER TEACHERS' UNION.

COMMITTEE TO GO INTO DEPARTMENT'S REPORT.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Ulster Teachers' Union last Saturday, the report of the Ministry of Education, lately issued, was considered, and after considerable discussion a sub-committee was appointed to go into details and report to a special meeting of the Executive.

The deputation appointed at the last meeting to interview the Ministry concerning circulars recently issued gave their report. They discussed a number of points, and suggested certain modifications, which were sympathetically received, and, as a result, further circulars will be issued later. With regard to the religious instruction register, it is probable that new regulations will be issued soon.

On the motion of Mr. Bryans, it was agreed to hold a conference of chairmen and secretaries of the various branches at a time to be fixed near the end of October.

BELFAST CHILD KILLED.

A four-year-old boy, Bernard George, of 25 Foundry street, Belfast, was knocked down by a motor car in Newtownards road yesterday and died afterwards in hospital. The driver of the motor car was arrested.

CHINESE COUP.

CAPTURE OF SWATOW.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.

HONG KONG, Sunday.

General Yeh Ting and General Ho Lung, who last week were believed to have reached an agreement with their former leader, Li Chai-sum, the commander of the Canton garrison, have effected a coup and captured Swatow. Li Chai-sum made little effort to prevent them, as the Swatow officials were adherents of General Chang Kai-shek, the former commander of the Nanking Nationalists.

A Canton-Swatow agreement is still considered possible, but Yeh and Ho are more likely to join the new "Red" group at Wuhan, Hankow.

When the town was threatened the officials fled, many coming to Hong Kong, and Swatow was left temporarily to the mercies of "Red" peasant guerillas, who opened the prisons. The released prisoners looted official establishments and some shops.

The new development does not seriously affect Li Chai-sum's position at present, as his control over Swatow was only nominal. Everything depends on the attitude of the troops of the Cantonese General, Chang Fai-kwai, who returned to Canton from the Yangtse last week, and who was recently credited with designs on Canton. But it is believed that Li Chai-sum is strong enough to discipline his troops if the necessity arises.

CASUALTIES IN RECENT FIGHTING.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

NEW YORK, Saturday.

An Associated Press telegram from Washington says that the State Department has been informed by the United States Consul at Shanghai that 1,200 Chinese were killed or wounded in fighting between rival Nationalist factions on September 20, when the First Army Corps, under General Ho Ying-ching, disarmed the 31st Corps, who were suspected of being about to go over to the Northerners.

Note—A Reuter message from Shanghai on September 21, describing the incident, stated that there were some 300 casualties altogether, the First Army Corps having provided machine gun traps along the line and overpowered successive trainloads of troops of the 31st Corps.

OBITUARY.

THE REV. EMANUEL SPERO.

The Rev. Emanuel Spero, "The sweet singer in Israel," died yesterday at his home in Gloucester place, London, at the age of 73. He was born in Denmark, but his parents brought him to Liverpool when he was a few weeks old. There he was educated, and as a young man often appeared on the concert platform, his pure tenor voice making him a popular singer. About fifty years ago he settled in London, and went as minister to the Hambro' Synagogue, Aldgate, going thence after a few years to the newly constituted Central Synagogue in Great Portland street. There he was associated with many prominent members of the Jewish faith, and at the funeral Service of Baron Ferdinand de Rothschild in 1897 he gained the title of "The sweet singer in Israel."

Mr. Spero devoted his musical ability and fine voice to the interpretation of the ancient Hebrew liturgy, so that the modern Anglo-Jewish worshipper might understand its emotional appeal. The years dealt kindly with his voice, and although he retired at the age of seventy, he was still called on to conduct the high festival Services. In recognition of his life-long work the special position of Precentor Emeritus of the United Synagogues was created for him a few years ago, when he completed forty years' service at the Central Synagogue.

SIR PETER REILLY O'CONNELL.

We regret to announce the death of Sir Peter Reilly O'Connell, which occurred on Saturday last at Marseilles.

Sir Peter was a son of Mr. Patrick O'Connell, Maudabawn, County Cavan, and married a daughter of Mr. E. Hughes, J.P., Belfast. His early education was received at St. Patrick's College, Cavan. He was a student afterwards in Queen's College, Galway, and in the Royal University, Dublin, where he obtained his M.D. and M.Ch. degrees. Sir Peter was lecturer and examiner in clinical surgery in the Queen's University, Belfast; senior surgeon to the Mater Infirmorum Hospital, in that city; a member of the Senate of the University, and President of the Ulster Medical Association. He was also a member of the Belfast Corporation, a High Sheriff for the city, and a Deputy Lieutenant for the county. He was Knighted in 1908. For some time past he had been residing at Stillorgan, County Dublin.

MR. M. J. MORAN.

We regret to announce that Mr. M. J. Moran, draper, of Talbot street, Dublin, died las Saturday. Formerly a member of the Dublin Corporation, Mr. Moran was well known in the commercial life of the city. He was President of the New Era Club, and a prominent Rotarian. He leaves a widow and several sons and daughters.

DR. PROCOPE.

A Reuter message states that Dr. Procope, the well-known poet and playwright, who writes in the Swedish language, died suddenly of heart failure yesterday within a few hours of receiving the degree of Doctor *honoris causa* of the Swedish University at Abo.

EXCURSION TRAIN SEARCHED.

WOMEN WITH PARCELS PAY THE PENALTY.

A crowded special excursion train from Belfast to Enniskillen, when passing through the Free State, was searched by Customs officials. Some women hung their parcels outside the window on the off side of the train, and were caught by Customs officials. A special sealed Customs van was on the train, and the women had to pay for their folly in not using it.

'BUS'S BACKWARD DASH DOWNHILL.

NEWRY DRIVER FINED.

When Michael J. Brady, Newry, was charged at Hillborough last Saturday with driving a 'bus without efficient brakes, it was stated that the 'bus when half way up the hill at Hillsborough began to run backwards and collided with the railings in front of the Downshire statue.

A fine of 10s. and costs was imposed.

DOCTOR DEAD IN MOTOR CAR.

A NEW JERSEY MYSTERY.

HAMMONTON, NEW JERSEY, Saturday.

The Chief of the county detectives announced to-night that Willis Beach, a poultry farmer, would be remanded in custody as a material witness for further examination in connection with the death of Dr. William Lilliendahl, whose body was found lying in a motor car on a lonely road near here on September 15th last. Willis Beach, who is a neighbour of the Lilliendahls, was remanded in custody to-night after a three hours' examination by the Court in the State Trooper Barracks in Hammonton.—(Reuter.)

"RAILWAY SURGERY" IN IRELAND.

Irish motorists are fortunate in possessing a weekly periodical which caters for their special requirements in so thorough-going and efficient a manner as does the "Motor News." This week's excellent issue is particularly interesting, because of an article on "Railway Surgery," which is augmented by a map supplement illustrating the author's proposals for the amputation of what he describes as "rotten branches" and the closing of small stations. In view of the present position of the Irish railways, both North and South, the article is timely and thought-compelling.

MERMAID OIL CURES CHILBLAINS.—(Advt.)

"ABOLITION OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE."

NEW SOCIALIST PROPOSAL.

A MINIMUM WEEKLY WAGE OF £4.

The adoption by the Labour Party of a real Socialist policy was advocated by Mr. P. J. Curran at the second annual conference of the National Left Wing Movement in London yesterday.

Mr. Curran brought forward a motion, which was carried unanimously, demanding, among other things, a Socialist programme for the abolition of the British Empire by supporting the right of self-determination, the nationalisation of industry without compensation, a minimum weekly wage of £4, and a 44-hour week; the formation of Workers' Defence Corps, full State responsibility for the maintenance of the unemployed on the basis of a non-contributory scheme, non-contributory sick insurance, and the abolition of the House of Lords.

Mr. J. Southall, of Birmingham, said that they could not expect much from the Parliamentary achievement of the next Labour Government, which would probably be "a mongrel or cross-legged Government."

Mr. R. E. Bond (Hon. Secretary) said that the dropping of the demand for a capital levy by the Labour Party was one of the most disgraceful pieces of trickery which had ever been played upon the working class.

Mr. Alexander Gossip declared that no greater crime had ever been committed against the Labour movement than the resolution carried at the Liverpool Conference, "expelling certain of our comrades, solely and simply because they happened to belong to a particular political organisation. I am not a member of the Communist Party—('Shame')—but I am a member of the Independent Labour Party."

Mr. J. J. Vaughan said that arrangements were being made for a march of one thousand unemployed South Wales miners to London on November 8th, when Parliament opens. It was a joint effort by the National Unemployed Organisation and the miners' lodges.

LIMERICK DOCKS EXTENSION.

THE LOWEST TENDERS.

At the meeting of the whole House Committee of the Limerick Harbour Board, which was attended by Mr. P. M. McCarthy, M.A., Consulting Engineer, the amended plans for the extension of the docks were discussed.

It was decided by a majority of the sixteen Commissioners present to forward the two lowest tenders, which were received at a recent meeting—Messrs. J. Kenny and Sons, Dublin, and the Netherlands Harbour Works Company, Amsterdam—to the Ministry of Industry and Commerce, together with the secretary's statement on the Board's finances, with a recommendation that one of the tenders should be accepted.

It was also decided that the construction of the link railway between the docks and the Great Southern Railway system be proceeded with as soon as possible.

HISTORICAL VALUE OF NEWSPAPERS.

EVEN ADVERTISEMENTS MAY BECOME PRICELESS.

The value of the contents of periodicals from a librarian's point of view was discussed by the Conference of the Associations of Special Libraries and Information Bureaux at Cambridge yesterday.

Sir Richard Gregory, editor of *Nature*, asserted that not more than five *per cent.* of the contents of periodicals was worthy of preservation from a technical or scientific point of view. More than ninety *per cent.* of what was being published in periodicals would be better lost.

Dr. J. E. de Vos Van [illegible], International Institute of [illegible] Co-operation, Paris, replied. He stated that the importance of daily newspapers published during the last fifty years was put at a high estimate by historians. He upheld the value of newspapers from a library point of view.

"Their issues in the days of the war," he said, "have a special value. The difficulty is to preserve them. Often they are printed on paper which makes them difficult to keep, but it is essential that a limited number should be preserved. In the years to come even the advertisement columns may become priceless from the point of view of economics."

CAR DRIVEN INTO RIVER.

COMMERCIAL TRAVELLER'S ESCAPE

A commercial traveller unacquainted with the district had a narrow escape from drowning at Reading last Friday night. He was driving his car along Queen's road, which runs parallel with the river Kennett, and turned into Sidmouth street, which ends on the river. Apparently, he failed to see the red light at the end of the street and drove straight into the river.

The water was seven or eight feet deep, the river being swollen by the heavy rains. The car was completely submerged, and the driver, trapped inside by the hood, which was up. He managed to escape by smashing the side curtains, and swam ashore.

On Saturday morning the car was dragged out of the river.

EARLY MORNING FIRE IN BELFAST.

SHOP DESTROYED.

A Belfast shop, situated on Old Lodge road, was destroyed by fire early yesterday morning. The premises, in which Mrs. McIvor, of Divis street, carried on a provision business, were well alight before the Fire Brigade arrived, and there was little hope of saving the building.

WATERFORD PRINTER'S SUICIDE.

CAR DRIVER DROWNED IN RIVER SUIR.

Frederick Mahony, printer, of Waterford, who had been missing from his home since last Friday, was found hanging from the branch of a tree at Grace Dieu, Waterford, last Saturday. At the inquest the evidence showed that Mahony had been a transport driver in the British Army, and later joined the Free State Army. During the trouble while in the latter Army he was involved in a collision, as a result of which he knocked down a girl, who died. He was very much upset in consequence. Deceased had been operated on for nervous disorders.

The medical evidence showed that Mahony had suffered from melancholia and depression.

A verdict of "suicide whilst temporarily insane" was returned.

Patrick Hennessy, car driver, Johnstown, Waterford, who had been missing from his home for several days, was found drowned in the river Suir last Saturday. Hennessy had been suffering from insomnia. At the inquest a verdict of "found drowned" was returned.

MODEL SCHOOL UNION.

On the suggestion of the Northern Ministry of Education, Omagh Regional Committee decided to amalgamate the Male and Female Model Schools in Omagh. The change will result in five teachers instead of six and nine classes instead of seventeen.

KNOCKED DOWN BY MOTOR CAR.

Miss Elizabeth Curran (86), of 5 Summerville Park, Upper Rathmines, lies in a critical condition in the Meath Hospital, Dublin. She was knocked down by a motor car at the corner of York road, last Saturday evening, sustaining severe injuries to the head.

DISTRESS IN DERRY.

DEFENCE OF LOCAL AUTHORITIES.

At the annual meeting of the Derry Employment Committee, Mr. Frank Callaghan, organiser for the National Union of General and Municipal Workers, said that there were hundreds of people in Derry who were facing death every day through want of employment and food. Their sympathies should go out to these people, who were in abject starvation, and something should be done to relieve their distress. Mr. Callaghan complained that local bodies were not doing enough in the matter of relieving unemployment, and pointed to the Corporation's failure to undertake a housing scheme.

The Right Hon. J. M. Andrews, D.L., M.P., said that he did not take a despondent view, as some people did. He thought that they were making progress, and that things were very much better than they were a few years ago. He did not think that it was quite fair to accuse the local authorities of Derry of not doing their part. It was a little discouraging to public authorities, who were making a special effort to give employment and carry out schemes of public utility, to be told that they were doing next to nothing. He thought that it would be a far wiser policy to thank local authorities for what they were doing, and ask them, as he was asking them now, to do a bit more in future.

FARM LABOURERS AND INSURANCE.

Lieutenant-Colonel F. S. N. Macrory, D.S.O., asked the Minister of Labour if there was any likelihood of the agricultural labourer ever going to be included in the Unemployment Insurance Act, because his position was very serious at present.

The Minister said that in these social services they were virtually bound to follow Great Britain. It was quite unreasonable to think that the tail could wag the dog. He agreed that the agricultural labourer's lot was not a very happy one. Under existing conditions he was receiving in many instances very low wages, but at the same time he was not subject to the same degree of unemployment as the industrial worker; and they had got to bear in mind in this connection that not only were labourers connected with the farming industry having a bad time, but farmers were having a bad time, too. They also had got to remember that, if the agricultural labourer was included, he would then be liable to pay contributions, which would make a very substantial hole in the wages which he was at present receiving, and, in addition to that, the farmers would be asked to take on an additional burden which, he thought, they should be careful about placing upon them until things in their industry improved. This was a matter that had very frequently received his attention, and he did not want to say anything that might appear to be barring the door to the suggestion that had been made. He would go so far as to say that, if agricultural labourers were included across the Channel, so far as he was concerned he would be most anxious that they should be included in Northern Ireland.

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT.

The Minister of Labour mentioned that £95,000 had been paid in unemployment benefit during the year in the Derry, Limavady and Strabane areas.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOUR.

CONVENTION OPENED IN DUBLIN.

The 21st Irish National Christian Endeavour Convention opened in Dublin last Saturday. At 6.45 a "welcome meeting" was held in Adelaide road Presbyterian Church, the Rev. A. Harbinson, President of Dublin and District Christian Endeavour Union, presiding. There was a very large attendance, and the delegates from all parts of Ireland seemed to be full of enthusiasm in their work.

The Chairman said that he regarded it as a great honour to stand there that evening as President of the Dublin District of the Christian Endeavour Union, and to have the privilege of extending to the delegates a real, genuine, hearty welcome. He guaranteed that Dublin would make the visitors feel at home, and make them want to come back again to other conventions in the city. He hoped that when they went back to their homes they would be filled with enthusiasm and with new grace to help to carry on God's work. He asked the representatives of the different churches to express their welcome.

ARCHBISHOP'S WELCOME.

The Rev. Canon Baillie, M.A., on behalf of the Archbishop of Dublin, said that it was a great pleasure to him to attend there and to welcome the delegates to that convention. There was nothing that he loved so much as to see a big gathering of young life, such as was there that evening, and he felt that there was nothing so hopeful at the present day as the great movement that was going on amongst young people in many different ways and organisations. He looked upon it as the most hopeful thing in the world at the present time that God had touched the hearts of the multitude of the rising generation to the solemn responsibility of winning the world for Christ. The Master whispered to the disciples: "Blessed are the eyes that see the things that ye see." What did they see to-day? The world yearning for something. They saw chaos everywhere, and revolution; the world was full of need, sorrow, and rumours of wars in many places. Yet the Lord said, "Blessed are the eyes that see the things that ye see," because they saw wherein the power lay to heal these things.

It was a great joy to see that building filled, principally with young people. It was a great joy to the Master's heart, and His whisper would be heard by every soul there, and would be responded to joyfully. He prayed that God's blessing might rest on that congregation and on the convention.

The Right Rev. R. [illegible] Hanna, D.D., joined very heartily with Canon Baillie in welcoming the delegates, and expressed his pleasure at seeing such a large congregation, mainly of young people, working in the interests of the Kingdom of Christ. He welcomed them very cordially to the capital of the Free State. (Hear, hear.) It was a very pleasing thing to see so many friends from the North and to hear the Northern brogue. He could assure them that they would receive nothing but a kindly welcome from all creeds and classes in that city. (Applause.) He sincerely hoped that the conference was going to help them to be shining lights for Jesus Christ.

The Rev. John A. Duke, on behalf of the Methodist Church, and Pastor L. E. Deens, on behalf of the Baptist Church, joined in the welcome.

THE OUTGOING PRESIDENT.

Replying to the expressions of welcome, the Rev. W. A. Hall, outgoing Irish President of the Christian Endeavour Association, thanked them most cordially. He remarked that the silver chain of office which he was wearing was the gift of the Dublin Union. He thanked all the speakers on behalf of the Irish Christian Endeavour Union, and the delegates from all parts of the country for the hearty welcome which they had received, and he hoped that their fellowship in Dublin at the convention would be deep and real.

The Rev. J. Millar Craig, M.A., London; Mrs. E. B. Gordon, B.A., and Mr. J. C. Armitage also replied.

The Rev. H. H. Cornish, President and Chairman of the Convention Committee, read letters of greeting from Christian Endeavour Societies in all parts of Ireland, England, United States of America, Germany, Austria, etc.

PRAISE SERVICE.

After the meeting of welcome a Praise Service was held. The Rev. W. A. Bell, B.A., presided. There was special music by the United Christian Endeavour Choir, Mr. Eric Crowe presided at the organ. The choir sang the *Te Deum Laudamus* (Jackson) and the hymn, "Guide me, O Thou Great Jehovah." The first anthem sung was "Sing, O Heavens" (Sullivan), the soloist being Mr. R. Shepherd. Mrs. Morton sang a sacred solo. The second anthem was "Seek ye the Lord" (Roberts), in which Miss McCowen was the soloist.

The presentation of the Irish Union Christian Endeavour Trophy was made by the Rev. J. Pollock, Belfast.

Brief addresses were given by the Chairman and the Rev. J. Millar Craig, M.A., London.

The hymns, "For Christ is our Redeemer, and "Ireland for Christ," having been sung, the Service concluded with the Benediction.

SKIPPER WASHED OVERBOARD.

A Lloyd's Dover message says that the Danish schooner Cathrine put in there yesterday, and reported that her master was washed overboard and lost during bad weather on Saturday night off Beachy Head.

DUBLIN THEATRES AND CINEMAS.

THE WEEK'S PROGRAMMES.

"Lady, be Good," a musical comedy, is being presented at the Gaiety Theatre. Annette Mills and Robert Sielle will give an exhibition of the "Charleston." The leading comedian is Sydney Keith.

"Poor Papa," a revue, will be performed at the Theatre Royal. Sandy Daw is the leading comedian. Among others appearing with him are Ettie Howard, vocalist; the Brocks, trick cyclists; the Four Jesmonds, male choristers, and the Glen Len Girls, dancers.

"The Glorious Uncertainty" will be performed at the Abbey Theatre. There will be a matinée at 2.30 p.m. next Saturday.

Stan Annison is the leading comedian in "No, No, Not Yet," a revue, at the Olympia Theatre.

"Stranded in Paris" is the title of the principal picture at the Capitol Theatre. The Royal Hawaiian Quartette, Mr. and Miss North, dancers, and the Capitol Tiller Girls will supplement the picture programme.

"Hindle Wakes," at the Metropole Cinema, is a story of life in Lancashire.

"The Amateur Gentleman" is the principal picture at the Grafton Picture House.

The "Son of the Sheik" is being shown at the Sackville Picture House.

"Puppets" till Wednesday, and "The Circus of Life," from Thursday till the end of the week, provide the entertainment at the Pavilion Picture House, Kingstown.

"Held by the Law" is to be seen at the Carlton Theatre.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

MR. DE VALERA'S "UNITY."

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—Mr. de Valera in Cork on last Friday, referring to the Treaty, is reported as saying: "Let them forget for the moment the charter under which they were working. It had been forced upon them and had not been accepted by the Irish people." That is the only passage in his speech which merits serious attention. It does, however, possess a significance which should not be lost sight of. If there is any meaning to be attached to the words he used, it is that, when he talks about "uniting the Irish people," the kind of "unity" he has in view is unity based upon antagonism to the Treaty. No matter how dextrously he may manipulate his words, phrases or formulas, there is no disguising this, nor can all the word-spinning in the world alter the fact that such is not unity, but sheer political insanity.

In the Press of September 12th a full-page election message over the name of Mr. de Valera appeared, which contained the following:—"By its recent action in entering the Free State Dail, Fianna Fail has already given earnest that in pursuit of its ideals it is prepared to face and accept existing realities." Obviously this was intended to convey to pro-Treaty electors the impression that Mr. de Valera and his party had accepted the Treaty position and were prepared to work it. I have no doubt that many thousands of votes were secured under that belief.

These two statements of Mr. de Valera flatly contradict each other. Clearly, if he frankly and truthfully stated the attitude of Fianna Fail in Cork on Friday last, his declaration of September 12th about accepting "existing realities" was simply a piece of electioneering humbug. I invite any of the Fianna Fail deputies to reconcile these two statements of their leader, or to refute my contention that the only deduction to be drawn from the Cork declaration is that "unity" of the de Valera brand is "unity" based upon antagonism to the Treaty. If I am correct in this interpretation of Mr. de Valera's statement in Cork, it is well that those who have accepted the Treaty as a means, containing ample powers, to build up the nation on progressive Irish-Ireland lines should be on their guard against the dangers of this anti-Treaty "unity."

The unity most needed at the moment is unity between those who are determined that the national victory, won at great cost, embodied in the Treaty, shall not be annulled or endangered by a sham "unity" which masks an attempt to secure control of the government of the State in order to set aside the Treaty and shipwreck the Saorstat.—Yours, etc.,

SEAN MILROY.

Dublin, September 25th, 1927.

INTERMEDIATE SCHOLARSHIPS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—Although I was a disinterested reader of the list of Intermediate scholarships in to-day *Irish Times*, permit me to state that I was most disagreeably surprised at the low proportion awarded to the girls—four, as compared with 71 to the boys. Two years ago, when the new Certificate examinations were instituted, the Ministry of Education awarded two to the girls and 73 to boys. As a result of the open resentment of the Irish people the Ministry bound themselves last year to award at least one-fourth of the total number offered to the girls. This year they did not publicly announce that the pledge would hold no longer, so that all the girls' schools in the country were under the impression that at least nineteen scholarships were for them.

It would be vain for me to point out what has been proved so often before by eminent doctors and psychologists—that, during the growing period of about fourteen to eighteen years, girls cannot work so hard as boys with impunity, as the mental and physical strain of hard study is dangerous to the more delicate constitution of a girl. When, however, the boys and girls meet again in the universities, the girls prove themselves as good workers and as intelligent, and in every way as successful, as the boys. No facilities are given to the girls then—they do not need them; but now, in their tenderer years, it is most unfair to expect them to be equal to the boys, and not to give them the facilities that more enlightened Governments give them. We women claim to be equal to the men, and demand equal rights. In no walk of life do we demand any advantages over them, but at the tender age of the Certificate competitors every aid and encouragement ought to be given, as the Ministry well know, to the women of the future, to enable them to develop properly, without undue forcing, into a powerful prop to the Government and a credit to the State.

Every civilised State gives all facilities for the education of its womenfolk. It would be a return to barbarism to subdue them by discouragement, and a return to tyranny to force them to work up to the level of the male standard. I also beg to point out that the present Government forgets what it owed to the women in the recent elections, when its female support was very strong. It is just as well for the Government that it delayed the results until now.

There is only one course open to the Ministry of Education now, and that is to recall the list, and add at least fifteen more scholarships for the girls (to make up the nineteen promised last year). The girls well deserve it; for the standard of the boys and girls was very high this year. The Ministry need not worry about the extra money; it will not be the loser, as the people have to pay in any case.—Yours, etc.,

JESSIE F. SAYERS.

Marino, Dublin, September 24th, 1927.

MOTOR CAR AND CYCLE IN COLLISION.

GERMAN ENGINEER'S INJURIES.

A report was received in Youghal last Saturday night of a collision between a motor car and motor cycle at Cosby's Cross, Co. Waterford. The cycle, which was ridden by a young German engineer engaged on the Shannon works, was coming along the main road when it collided with the car. The cycle was smashed and the rider was rendered unconscious. He was taken to hospital, but left soon afterwards.

DERRY CLERKS' SUCCESS.

Messrs. H. Burrows and James Walker, temporary clerks in the Londonderry Employment Exchange, have been notified by the Civil Service Commissioner for Northern Ireland that they were successful at the recent examination for junior permanent clerks in the Ministry of Labour, Northern Ireland. They are both ex-Service men.

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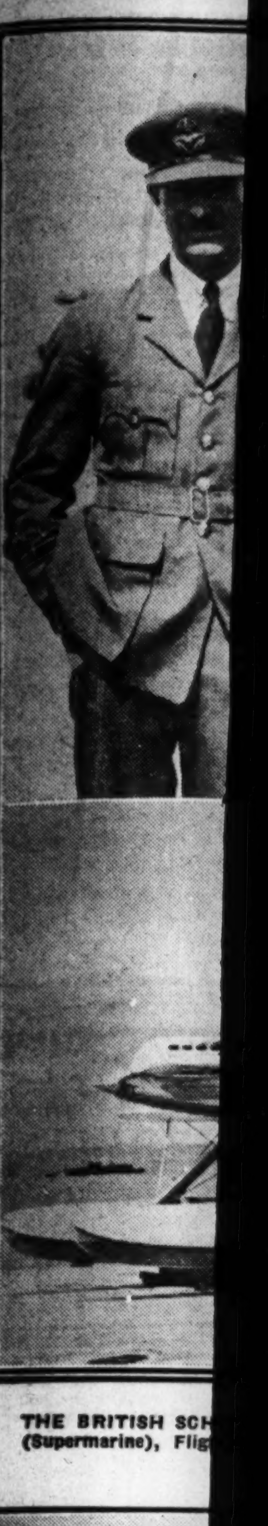

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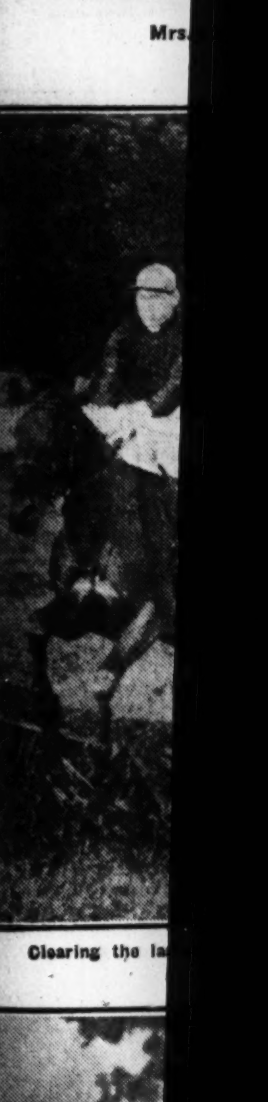

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THE SCHNEIDER CUP: LEOPARDSTOWN RACES.

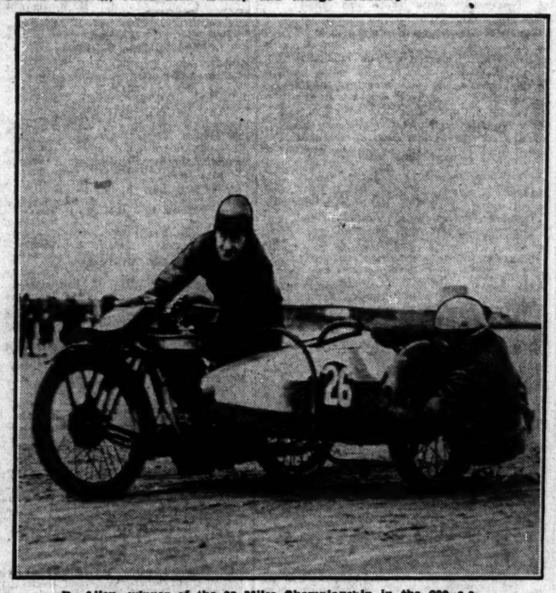
THE BRITISH SCHNEIDER CUP TEAM.—Left to right—Flight-Lieutenant Worsley (Supermarine), Flight-Lieutenant Webster (Supermarine), Flight-Lieutenant Kinkead (Gloster IV.), and Squadron-Leader Slatter, commended and reserve pilot. Below—The Supermarine Napier S 5 and the Gloster Napier IV.

Violet Duchess of Westminster, whose engagement to Colonel the Hon. F. H. Crippe, son of Lord Parmoor, is announced.

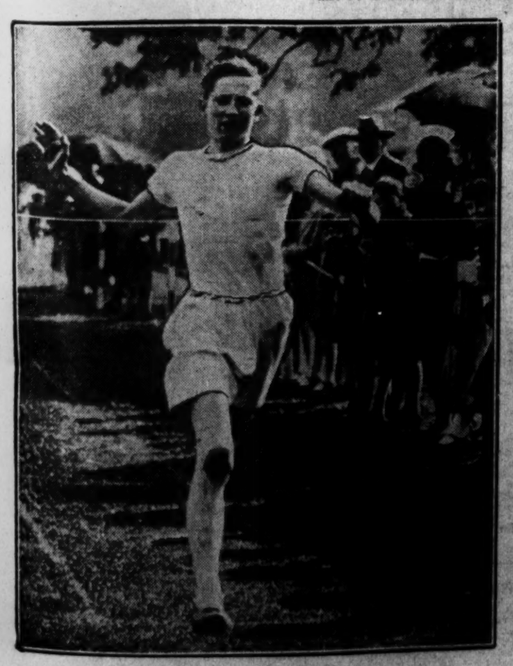
Mrs. Wylie and Mrs. Lillis at Leopardstown Races.

The artists who contributed to the musical programme at the Photographic Salon. Back Row—Miss Noreen Dobbs, Mr. Denis Cox, Mr. C. Norman Jeffares, Mr. Sydney Price. Second Row—Miss Violet Byrne, Miss Dorothy Griffiths, Miss Mabie Bianconi, Mr. Jones, Miss MacMeekin, Mr. Arthur Franks, Mrs. A. E. Hughes. Front Row—Mrs. Gresham, Mr. Frank Graham, Misses Nancy Reilly, Sheelah Spratt, Bertha Haworth, Alice Blair Dunlop and Madge Bradbury.

Clearing the last hurdle in the Autumn Plate at Leopardstown. The winner, Mr. A. McCann's Berora, is nearest the camera. Mr. P. Monahan's Major Ray (second) is on the left.



D. Allen, winner of the 25 Miles Championship in the 600 c.c. Sidecar Class, cornering during the race at Portmarnock Strand.



R. Grey winning his heat in the 100 Yards Race at St. Andrew's College Sports.

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IRISH FRANCISCAN WEEK.

PONTIFICAL HIGH MASS.

MUSICAL PAGEANT AT THEATRE ROYAL.

In connection with the seventh centenary of the death of St. Francis of Assisi, celebrations for the close of the Franciscan year—August 1st, 1926, to October 4th, 1927—were inaugurated yesterday with Pontifical High Mass in the Franciscan Church, Merchant's quay, Dublin. The church was decorated for the occasion, the high altar being covered with scarlet drapery, while the altar of St. Francis was picked out with electric lights.

There was a very large congregation at the High Mass, which the Most Rev. Dr. O'Brien, Bishop of Kerry, celebrated. The Rev. Father Antonine, O.F.M., was deacon, and the Rev. Father Celsus, O.F.M., sub-deacon. The Very Rev. Father Fidelis, O.F.M., was assistant priest, and the Rev. Father Damien, O.F.M., master of ceremonies.

The Academic Council of University College, Dublin, was represented by Dr. D. J. Coffey, M.A., President, University College; the Rev. Professor Corcoran, Professor Donovan, Professor Sheils, Professor Sheridan, Professor Potter, Professor Hugh Ryan, Professor M. J. Ryan, Professor Mary Hayden, Professor Mary Macken, Professor A. Clery, Professor Maurice Hayes, Professor J. P. Drew, Professor the Rev. M. Egan, S.J., M.A.; Professor the Rev. A. Gwynn, S.J., M.A.

The Most Rev. Dr. McNeeley, Bishop of Raphoe, was in the sanctuary.

A special choir, conducted by Mr. V. O'Brien, provided the music.

MUSICAL PAGEANT.

At the Theatre Royal, in the afternoon, a large audience attended a musical pageant adapted from the oratorio, St. Francis, by the Rev. Father Hartman, O.F.M. This reproduction of notable episodes in the life of "The Poor Man of Assisi," was given by SS. Michael and John's Operatic Society, augmented by the choirs of St. Catherine's Church, Meath street; St. Teresa's, Donore avenue, and the Franciscans' Church, Merchant's quay. The Right Rev. Monsignor Ghezzi, F.M., Bishop of Civita, Castellana, Italy, is responsible for the libretto, the episodes being described in stately Latin verse, and beautifully rendered by the principals and choir.

The dramatisation of an oratorio is unusual, but the devotional spirit of the work has been ably interpreted not only by the adapter but by those who presented it yesterday. A street scene in Assisi in the thirteenth century gave Miss B. Crosbie an opportunity of describing, in a fine soprano voice, the effect of the Divine Call on Francis, who hitherto had led a gay and worldly life. Mr. J. Burke, as St. Francis, was a pleasing tenor, who acted the part impressively. The story goes on to show how St. Francis brings around him the Friars Minor, and through The Lady Clare of the noble house of Sciffi establishes the Order of Poor Clares, who adopt the Franciscan Rule. So many others are moved by Francis's teaching, and he establishes a Third Order, to which men and women may belong without leaving their homes. The part of St. Clare was capably filled by Miss M. Fleming, and that of Bonadonna by Miss M. Edge. Mr. James Raul filled the dual *rôles* of Brother Angelo and Blessed Luchesius.

A scene representing Mount Alverno, in Tuscany, shows how on Francis's hands and feet appeared the signs of the nails of the Crucifix and on his side the sign of the lance. Then comes the scene outside the Chapel of Porziuncula, near Assisi, where St. Francis died. The final scene, depicting the glorification of the saint, with the Angelic Choir in the background, was a triumph of grouping.

There was a full amateur orchestra, which did creditable work. Mr. M. J. Lynch conducted, and the singing of the augmented choir was excellent.

Scenery and dresses were specially made in Dublin for the production, for which Mr. Dan Byrne was responsible.

Other enjoyable items of the programme were the performance of "Transitus" (by the Rev. Father Rinaldelli, O.F.M.) by the choir and string orchestra, and "Canticle of the Sun" (by the Rev. Father Pierbattista, O.F.M.) by past pupils of Dominican College, Eccles street.

SERMON BY DR. McNEELY.

Preaching in the Franciscan Church, Merchant's quay, last night, the Most Rev. Dr. McNeely, Bishop of Raphoe, said that the Christian world owed a debt of gratitude to St. Francis. His mission was one of "Peace and Good." He had no philosophy but the Gospel of Jesus Christ. He was a true reformer of society for all time, being inspired by the finest spirit of Christian social reform. There was nothing of the sentimental mystic or religious maniac about him.

Ireland and the Irish people, he said, owed a great debt to the sons of St. Francis. In every part of the country one found ruins of Franciscan Abbeys that flourished centuries ago.

There will be further religious ceremonies and a series of public lectures during the week.

LABOURERS' COTTAGES IN TYRONE.

PROHIBITIVE LOAN CONDITIONS.

At a meeting of Castlederg Rural District Council the Clerk intimated that a large number of representations had been received for the erection of labourers' cottages in the rural district, and submitted a letter from the Ministry of Home Affairs setting forth the terms under which loans for the erection of cottages would be granted, these providing that the amount to be expended on the erection of each cottage was not to exceed £350, the repayment of the loan to be at the rate of 5¾ per cent. per annum over a period of sixty years, with a Government rebate of 40 per cent. of the loan charges.

The Clerk said that a rent of at least 4s. 6d. per week would be required from the tenants to cover the repayment of the loan charges. In the last scheme the repayment was at the rate of 3½ per cent., with a 36 per cent. rebate on the loan charges.

Mr. Gamble said that according to his calculation a rent of 5s. per week would be required to pay the loan charges, and no labourer could afford to pay such a rent in that district. The conditions were such that it would be a dead loss to erect cottages.

Several members expressed themselves in agreement, and asserted that the agricultural labourers of the district could not pay a rent in excess of 2s. 6d. per week.

Eventually, on the motion of Mr. Gamble, seconded by Mr. David Henderson, the scheme was adjourned indefinitely owing to the unfavourable terms of the loan.

UNEMPLOYMENT IN THE NORTH.

A DECREASE OF 961.

There was a decrease of 961 in the number of persons unemployed in Northern Ireland last week owing to improvement in the shipbuilding, linen and miscellaneous trades.

The total number of persons registered as unemployed was 25,419, of whom 19,506 were men, 495 boys, 4,997 women, and 361 girls.

DUBLIN ORCHESTRAL SOCIETY.

The Dublin Orchestral Society announces its first concert of the season in our issue of to-day. The Society, under the conductorship of Commendatore Esposito, Mus.D., was founded so far back as 1898, and had given eighty-one concerts, when the outbreak of the Great War in the autumn of 1914 put a stop to its activities. In 1905 a smaller, but highly efficient, orchestra was formed under the same conductor, and during a period of ten years 137 Sunday orchestral concerts were given at popular prices, making a total of 218 orchestral concerts, at which the public were given the opportunity of hearing excellently performed the best-known symphonies of Haydn, Mozart, Schubert, and all the nine of Beethoven, omitting only the choral portion of the ninth. The concert overtures of Mozart, Beethoven, Weber, Rossini, Schumann and Mendelssohn, and all Wagner's purely orchestral music were given, in addition to many compositions by early composers, such as Bach, Handel and Scarlatti, as well as the principal works of the more modern writers. At the concert announced for Saturday afternoon, October 8th, the programme will include the Overture to "A Midsummer Night's Dream" (Mendelssohn), the Symphony "From the New World" (Dvorak), and Liszt's Concerto in E flat for piano and orchestra, Mr. Frederick Dawson, the eminent pianist, being the soloist, and the Overture to "Il Seraglio" (Mozart). A reduction in the price of admission is being made for schools.

Major Harry Barnes, who represented East Newcastle as a Coalition Liberal from 1918 to 1922, has been selected as prospective Liberal candidate for the Warwick and Leamington Division.

RACING PROSPECTS.

Cesarewitch Candidates in Review: Little Light on the Cambridgeshire: October at Newmarket.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.
LONDON, Sunday Night.

There will, I expect, be a good deal of difference of opinion and a deal of controversy regarding the precise value of the victory in the Newbury Hunt Cup yesterday of Mr. Singer's Lightning Artist, who beat Sir Joshua by a length, and not by any means in the easy conclusive style that was suggested by the odds of 9 to 4 which the Ring asked for about him. Richards did not draw the whip on him, but he had to ride him hard out with his hands to shake off the six-year-old, and many people there and then decided to oppose him for the Cesarewitch.

The race certainly put a very different complexion on the Newmarket event. It was expected, of course, that he would earn the 10lb. penalty, and even with that he would not have been out of the Cesarewitch in the minds of many, supposing he had won in decisive style, for he is thought at Manton to be a good colt. This he did not do. The eleven who opposed him were a very miscellaneous, and, on the whole, a moderate lot, and it must be said that at the finish he had them strung out over more than a furlong. He won by a length from Sir Joshua, with Eagle's Pride eight lengths away, third, and Dumbiedykes some ten lengths off fourth, and the others strung out at wider intervals, until we came to Mafoota, who had only passed the distance when the winner had passed the post.

The terrible heavy going accounted for this, and some of them were very distressed at the finish. It was Dumbiedykes who cut out the pace, and Lightning Artist was always pulling double behind her. He it was who passed her when they had come well up the straight, and then he appeared to be sailing home, until Sir Joshua began steadily to improve. He got within a length of Lightning Artist at the distance, and soon after Richards had to press his mount hard, but he could never open wider the gap between himself and the six-year-old, and a length it was that the judge had hoisted when they passed him.

A LAZY HORSE.

Richards gave it as his opinion after the race that Lightning Artist won easily, but admitted that he had to rally him. He thinks he is a lazy horse, who, when he pulled his way to the front, was satisfied that he had done enough, which may be so. Yet it was not entirely pleasing to see him finish the last furlong with his ears laid well back on his head. I remember that when he won at Doncaster he changed his legs in the last hundred yards, and suggested that there was something he was not quite happy about. He gave the same impression yesterday, and I rather think that this impression will be reflected in the Cesarewitch market during the next few weeks.

His penalty and his manner of winning have certainly opened up the Cesarewitch situation a good deal, and have made that race a good deal more interesting. Several other candidates can now come into the picture, and one of them is Adieu, who was unlucky behind him at Doncaster and has a 10lb. advantage in the weights. His stable has already backed this winner of the Gold Vase, and the public will be following suit if he goes to the post well and still fancied.

A candidate who will, I think, be finding some favour for the Cesarewitch is the Duke of Westminster's Bamboula, who has not run in England since he was second in the Chester Cup, but did take part in a race at Deauville last month. He is going very well in his work and is regarded as a good stayer. Another French-bred horse now trained at Newmarket, Masked Ruler, who was fourth in the St. Leger last year, is also likely to find favour for the Cesarewitch. I believe that he went a very impressive two miles gallop yesterday. There was a slight scare about Cap-a-Pie during the week, due to a minor mishap, but the colt is none the worse, and is in good work.

As all the prominent Cambridgeshire candidates engaged in the Duke of York Handicap remain in at Kempton Park, the acceptance for that event published last week has not helped the situation. It is very probable that such as Weissdorn, Embargo, Apelle and Abbot's Speed will run for the Kempton event. It is being stated that Silver Lark will run for it also, and he may do so, but I shall be surprised, unless the Cambridgeshire is the race for which his preparation will be timed. The Irish colt has come to hand well during the summer and is now going particularly well.

SIR JOSHUA'S RESTORATION.

But leaving the subject of the Newbury Cup, the skill with which Major Sneyd (a nephew of Mr. R. C. Dawson, whom he assisted at Whatcombe for several years before starting training at Sparsholt) has restored Sir Joshua deserves a word. This son of Gainsborough when trained in the Manton stable for Lady James Douglas was a pretty good horse when sound on his pins, which was seldom. He was sold out of Manton and went to Blackwell, who was not able to bring him on to a racecourse at all last year. At the December sales he was put up, and Major Sneyd gave only 70 guineas for him. He patched him up, and won an amateur riders' race with him last month at Lewes, and now he has made the Cesarewitch favourite know that he has had a race.

The weather had mercifully improved for yesterday's racing, and the sun shone all the time; but I am afraid that their experiences on Friday kept many people away for the time, for I believe the receipts were between £800 and £900 down on the corresponding day last year. In spite of the bad going there was some good racing. Lord Woolavington seldom runs horses in selling races, but he started King's Colour and Mr. Toots in the T.Y.O. Selling Plate, and got rid of the former, who jumped off in front, was soon well clear, and won in a canter on the far side of the course by three lengths from the Deas Mhuma filly.

There was spirited bidding for him afterwards, and Mr. Cottrill took him for 1,000 guineas. He is the first offspring of that good, but unlucky, Tracery horse Monarch to win a race in this country. Monarch is now at the stud in France.

The other selling race went to Repertoire, a half-brother to Furious and Furore, owned by Mr. H. C. Miller. He was unlucky when well supported at Doncaster, but he made full amends here, going into the lead three furlongs from home and winning easily by three lengths from L'Addition.

Book Law was absent from the Kingsclere Plate, but, though the crowd missed a sight of her, they were compensated by a very thrilling race. Odds were laid on the Chepstow Cup winner, Valois, for the opposition was regarded as light. The bottom weight, Attar, made the running, as she always does, and she began to stop just when everyone expected that she would. This happened at the moment Elliott, who rode his usual race on Valois, brought him with one long run from behind and drew level with her. She whirled her tail, and showed every sign of turning it up, and Valois got a neck in front of her.

Then suddenly the filly sent a thrill through the crowd by beginning to run on again for Richards, and in a splendid finish she beat him by a short head. No jockey has ever been able to get her to go like this before, and it is a marvel how horses will run on for Richards and will not do it for anyone else.

FAVOURITE DEFEATED.

Gean and the Bachelor's Double filly, Silver Wedding, were the best backed in the Donnington Castle Maiden Plate, but there was a lot of support for Tuborg, a novice trained by E. Gwilt, whom Sir Bruce Hamilton bred, and who was bought last year for 500 gns. This colt ran green, and it was not until the last furlong that he appeared on the scene; but when he got properly balanced he settled the others in a few strides and beat Silver Wedding by three lengths, with Silver Spoon a length off, third, and Gean about fifth or sixth. This winner is a useful colt, and his victory was impressive. Lord Carnarvon, the owner of Silver Wedding, who has been ill, and has been abroad for some time past, was present at the meeting.

Young Douglas Pickering, who won a race for Lord Dewar with St. Mary Abbots on Friday, won another for the same owner here with Midsummer, a very nice filly by the all-conquering Abbot's Trace, who beat Rich Vein by three parts of a length. She was not off as quickly as some of the others and came very late on the scene, but she soon settled the pretensions of Rich Vein.

We return to Newmarket for the opening of the autumn session with the First October meeting there on Tuesday. The handicaps are of minor importance during the week as compared with the weight-for-age and the two-year-old events. The attraction of the week will be the Jockey Club Stakes on Thursday, in which Foliation, who made so good a race last year with Foxlaw and Solario and may have been a little unlucky not to have won outright, will oppose her stable companion Book Law. While it is unlikely that she will beat Book Law, Taylor is quite likely to have first and second.

The sales through the week will be interesting and important. These First October yearling sales are growing in importance year by year, owing to the number of breeders who cannot get into Doncaster. There will be particularly large numbers of good Irish lots coming up during the week.

There is racing to-day at Brighton and Hamilton Park, and the Brighton Autumn Cup is the principal event of the Southern meeting. Silver Lark is to run for this, and I expect that he will do well. Adage, who always runs well on this course, is another likely one, and Chase Me Charlie and Gifted also have chances, but I prefer to stand on SILVER LARK.

Guadiana is top weight in the Hove Nursery, but may not give the weight to BREAK OF DAY, who has been well galloped. JOYOUS GREETING may be best in the Preston Park Handicap for amateur riders.

The Caledonian Hunt Cup at Hamilton Park is the best event of the day, and has had a splendid entry. I do not expect that Dark Japan will be started, but his trainer can choose between Mario, who has a chance, and La Douairiere. Review Order comes to Newmarket to run, but I give a splendid chance to INVERSHIN, who ran a great race in the Ayrshire Handicap, and will be suited by the extra distance. Mr. Reid Walker's horse should win. The Cinquefoil Nursery may be won by the MILANESE FILLY.

GALTEE MORE.

FORM HORSES.

BRIGHTON.

2. 0—Hermes (nap).
2.30—Loreen.
3. 0—Adage.
3.30—Bright Steel.
4. 0—Black Sheep.
4.30—Rathnally.

HAMILTON PARK.

1.45—Wei Pei Fu.
2.15—Sonny Fitz.
2.45—Mario.
3.15—Ardscull.
3.45—Brieryside.
4.15—Voice Box.

Eclipse.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Westminster Gazette:—To-day's Best—Silver Lark. Double—Silver Lark and Break o' Day.

Daily Express:—Safety Bet—King Throstle (win). Double—King Throstle and Joyous Greeting.

Daily Mirror:—Double—Milanaise f. and Paradeisos.

Daily Sketch:—Double — Invershin and Papillon.

PROUDSTOWN PARK.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

There is no lack of variety about to-day's programme at the splendidly appointed Proudstown Park enclosure, and a satisfactory all-round entry is suggestive of entertaining sport. Not the least attractive event on the card is the Stewards' Steeplechase, among others engaged in which are such high-class 'chasers as Koko, East Galway, and Coolcommon, and if these should be saddled the race would be very interesting. A special train leaves Broadstone for the racecourse platform at 12.45 and returns at 6 o'clock. Selections are appended:—

September Plate—**Santhome**; if absent, **Heartburn.**
Ring Plate—**Letham.**
Simonstown Plate—**Vain Colleen** or **Archipelago.**
Meath Plate—**Annan Dale.**
Stewards' Plate—**Koko.**
Bective Plate—**Wind-up.**

2.30—THE SEPTEMBER PLATE of 45 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 1½ m.

	Age	st.	lb.
SANTHOME (Mr. F. B. M'Donogh) Ussher	6	12	7
LOMOND'S LAKE (Mr. P. W. Shaw) Parkinson	5	12	7
BORORA (7lb. ex.) (Mr. A. M'Cann) Dawson	a	11	13
SOUTH POLE (Mr. Corbella) ....Hartigan	a	11	8
EMPRESS FOREST (Mrs. D. Rogers) D. Rogers	a	11	0
HEARTBURN (Mr. A. Lowry) ....Dawson	5	11	0
SUN FLAME (Mr. M. Arnott) ....Owner	5	10	9
SEIZE (Mr. F. Barbour) ....Pardy	a	10	3
GO BETWEEN (Mr. J. Leech) ....Delany	5	10	3
SPARE TIME (Mr. A. Lowry) ....Dawson	5	10	2
INGLEWOOD (Mrs. J. Magee) ....Osborne	5	10	0
DURATOI (Mr. R. H. Walker) ....Owner	3	10	0

3.0—THE RING PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 3 m.

	Age	st.	lb.
GOLDEN REBEL (Mrs. Croft) ....Ussher	a	12	10
LETHAM (9lb. ex.) (Mr. J. D. Wilkinson) Barret	a	10	12
DELARUE (Mr. P. Rogers) ....Arnott	5	10	6
MR. WRIGLEY (Mrs. C. Cole) ....Dawson	a	9	12
TRAMON LAD (Capt. J. R. Collins) Walker	a	9	7
CERIGO (Mr. W. Magee) ....Owner	4	9	7

3.30—THE SIMONSTOWN PLATE of 45 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. For maiden two years old. 5 f.

	st.	lb.
ARRAN BEG (Mr. P. Crotty) ....Owner	9	0
PHARE (Mr. H. S. Gray) ....Behan	9	0
FORTUNE'S GIFT F., by Honey Bee (Mr. A. M. Arnott) ....Owner	-	10
ARCHIPELAGO (Capt. R. B. Brassey) H. Hartigan	8	10
LARORB (Mr. M. Charles) ....Staunton	8	10
HOMEWARD (Mr. John Doyle) ....Owner	8	10
PRINCESS ARGOSY (Mr. J. A. Farrell) ....Owner	8	10
VAIN COLLEEN (Major Gerrard) H. Hartigan	8	10
SPARKLING (Mrs. Cogan) ....Rice	8	10
HAUTRAGE (Mrs. V. Morton Jackson) Behan	8	10
A.P. (Mr. A. Lowry) ....Dawson	8	10
HELIOON (Mr. A. Lowry) ....Dawson	8	10
KOSCIE'S STAR (Mr. H. C. M'Nally) Staunton	8	10
WHITE MIXTURE (Mr. John O'Callaghan) Fetherston	8	10
FAIRY FORD (Mr. T. J. O'Ryan) ....Ussher	8	10
LIVE LINE (Mr. H. I. Ussher) ....Owner	8	10
LADY PALM (Mr. J. D. Wilkinson) ....Owner	8	10
MISS MARLHILL (Mr. J. Coldrick) ....Owner	8	10
LADY TAG (Mr. P. Corcoran) ....Parkinson	8	10
OLD MOTHER HUBBARD (Mr. E. F. Barry) Daly	8	10

4.0—THE MEATH PLATE of 45 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A handicap flat race. 2 m.

	Age	st.	lb.
PROSPICE (7lb. ex.) (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner	6	13	7
LOMOND'S LAKE (Mr. P. W. Shaw) Parkinson	5	13	0
O MAY (Mr. A. Willis) ....Parkinson	5	12	13
ANNAN DALE (Hon. K. Mackay) H. Hartigan	5	12	12
NEWSBOY (Mr. F. Barbour) ....Pardy	6	12	0
SAME AGAIN (Mr. E. Delany) ....Owner	5	10	7
ROYAL VANITY (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) Owner	4	10	7
BACHELOR'S TRUMP (Mr. A. Lowry) Dawson	6	10	7
ROSS MALONE (Mr. J. Walshe) Walshe	5	10	5
SULPHURIC ACID (Mr. J. Coldrick) Owner	a	10	3
THIRTY-BOB (Mr. T. Rey) ....Owner	a	10	0

4.30—THE STEWARDS' PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A weight-for-age steeplechase. 2 m.

	Age	st.	lb.
KOKO (Mr. F. Barbour) ....Pardy	a	12	3
EMPRESS FOREST (Mrs. Darby Rogers) D. Rogers	a	12	3
COOLCOMMON (Mrs. B. H. Walker) Walker	a	12	3
EAST GALWAY (Mr. J. S. Shepherd) Arnott	a	12	3
PORT ELIZABETH (Mr. H. M'Alinden) Ussher	a	11	10
SOUTH POLE (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) Owner	a	11	3
CORNAFULLA (Mr. A. Lowry) ....Dawson	5	11	3
CRAFTY SCOTT (Mr. A. Lowry) ....Delaney	5	10	5
COLONIAL (Mr. T. J. M'Keever) ....Owner	6	10	5
TENROH (Mr. T. J. Mangan) ....Owner	a	10	5
SOUTHERN CALL (Miss A. Kidston) H. Hartigan	4	10	0
SUNCOURT (Mr. R. H. Walker) ....Owner	4	10	0

5.0—THE BECTIVE PLATE of 45 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A weight-for-age flat race. 6 f.

	Age	st.	lb.
MAID OF ATHLONE (Mr. P. J. Murphy) Doyle	3	9	9
COOGEE (Mr. T. Cloakey) ....Owner	6	9	7
ULTRA-VIOLET (Mr. T. G. Fletcher) Brabazon	4	9	7
THE BLACK FELLOW (Mr. M. Charles) Staunton	3	9	0
ANNAGH WOOD (Lady Eva Forbes) Dawson	3	9	0
SAPPHIRE STONE (Mr. R. Power) ....Doyle	3	9	0
ORTHYMNA (Mrs. Darby Rogers) D. Rogers	3	9	0
DONERAILE (Mr. J. S. Shepherd) ....Arnott	3	9	0
PRAIRIE BLOSSOM (Mr. J. Spicer) ....Ray	3	9	0
MARTIVE (Mrs. R. H. Walker) ....Walker	3	9	0
WIND-UP (Mrs. R. H. Walker) ....Walker	3	9	0
ADARENE (Mr. J. D. Wilkinson) ....Owner	3	9	0
SWEET GIFT (Mr. John O'Brien) ....Dawson	3	9	0
WEE CYGNUS (Mr. R. P. Gannon) ....Owner	3	9	0
VESINGTON SUN (Mr. H. M. Hartigan)	3	9	0
BINN'S BRIDGE (Mr. J. Leech) ....Owner	3	9	0
MISS LESRU (Mr. J. Coldrick) ....Browne	2	7	7
LADY TAG (Mr. P. Corcoran) ....Owner	2	7	7
LITTLE QUEEN (Mrs. M. Dawson) Parkinson	2	7	7
PRINCESS ARGOSY (Mr. J. A. Farrell) Dawson	2	7	7
LOUGH DERG (Mr. P. J. Lenehan) ....Owner	2	7	7
SALVADORA (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ....Owner	2	7	7
SUNNY QUEEN (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner	2	7	7

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LEOPARDSTOWN.

EXCELLENT RACING.

MR. MACAULAY'S TREBLE.

PROSPICE AGAIN.

A better day's racing than that of Saturday last at Leopardstown could not be wished for, and pity it was there were not more people present to participate in such a thoroughly interesting afternoon's sport. The weather was none too kind, some very heavy showers falling, and these, following on the rain of the previous day, rendered the ground somewhat holding. This, however, did not affect the strength of the fields, which, with one exception, were of good dimensions, and several thrilling finishes added zest to the proceedings, which went with a swing from beginning to end.

A feature was the success attending the stable presided over by Mr. A. H. Macaulay, who sent out three winners, all of which were well fancied, and each of them was ridden by T. Burns. The Lunville trainer began the day auspiciously when Blue Bell triumphed over Curragh Tip in the Scalp Plate, the finish for which was hotly contested by the pair, and it was only close home that the filly, who was in receipt of 7lb. from the Ruanbeg representative, asserted superiority. Then her stable companion, Facino, who had made such a favourable impression when beating a big field at the Curragh, proceeded to win the principal race of the day, the Dargle Plate.

It was, however, only after a long-drawn-out battle with Monla that he succeeded in getting in front in the last few strides to win by a short head. Facino did not begin as quickly as some of the others, nor did Fleeting Memory, but the favourite got on striking terms with Sir Thomas Dixon's filly less than a furlong out, and from that point it was a dour struggle between the pair, his nice pull in the weights standing the son of Soulouque in good stead. Quick Toy showed a fine burst of speed in the early stages, but failed to sustain the effort. In the succeeding race, the Dundrum Plate, Old Orkney was not set a formidable task, and, winning in a canter, he completed the "hat trick" for Mr Macaulay.

The heavy going notwithstanding, Explanation, who stood near the top of the handicap, was made favourite for the Autumn Hurdle Plate, and, right well though he ran, the task was beyond his compass, and when he retired beaten approaching the last obstacle Major Ray drew to the head of affairs, but his big impost tied him to the ground in the run home, and Borora scored a ready victory. Previous to Saturday Mr. McCann's horse had proved very disappointing, and had not earned a winning bracket for nearly two years. Bachelor's Hobby, who was well backed, fell when half the journey had been covered and broke his back, which was a stroke of bad luck for his owner, Mr. Albert Lowry.

The Three Rock Plate furnished as pretty a race as one could wish to see. Royal Heroine, who has shown such a partiality for this course, left off in most demand, but after showing prominently for a considerable portion of the journey lost her place, as did Lady Wembley, and Athlone Lass, shooting to the front, successfully resisted the challenge of Argina and Sister Josephine, the latter of whom made up a lot of ground in the closing stages. Another smart performance was that of the one-eyed Prospice, who, carrying top weight and seeming to revel in the deep going, accounted for his nine opponents in the Foxrock Plate, and thus quickly supplemented his Mullingar success. The outsider, Forgotten, did best of the others, and, even though she was in receipt of considerable poundage from Prospice, she acquitted herself creditably. Details:—

2.45—THE AUTUMN PLATE of 75 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs., and the third 5 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 1½ m.

Mr. A. M'Cann's b. h. BORORA, by Glasgerion—Coy Maid, a, 11-3 ....Jos. Canty 1
Mr. P. Monahan's MAJOR RAY, a, 12-7 Jas. Doyle 2
Mrs. D. Rogers's MARCHESI, a, 9-7 Jos. Doyle 3
Mr. J. S. Shepherd's Explanation, a, 12-4 D. Ward 0
Mr. A. Willis's O May, 5, 11-9 ....T. M'Neill 0
Mr. F. Clarke's Maqueda, 5, 9-12 (car. 9-13) Owner 0
Mr. L. Scott's Blue Lookout, 4, 9-2...P. Coogan 0
Mr. A. Lowry's Bachelor's Hobby, 5, 9-2 J. Coldrick 0

(Winner trained by J. Dawson.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. Explanation, 5 to 2 BORORA, 3 to 1 Bachelor's Hobby, 10 to 1 each Major Ray, Marchesi or any other.

Blue Lookout went away with a long lead of Marchesi, Maqueda, Bachelor's Hobby and Explanation, with Major Ray and Borora next and O May last. At half-way Bachelor's Hobby fell, and Explanation assumed command, followed by Major Ray, Blue Lookout, Borora and Marchesi. Explanation was beaten before the last hurdle, approaching which Major Ray was in front, but on the flat Borora headed him, and won by four lengths; five lengths divided second and third. Explanation was fourth, O May fifth and Maqueda next.

3.15—THE SCALP PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 15 sovs., and the third 5 sovs. For two years old. 7 f.

Mr. Jas. Burns's ch. f. BLUE BELL, by Argos—Blue Nile, 8-6 ....T. Burns 1
Mrs. H. M. Hartigan's CURRAGH TIP, 8-13 Jos. Canty 2
Mr. W. Rankin's LINDERGH, 8-6 ....E. Quirke 3
Mr. M. Dawson's Bachelor's Squall, 8-6 W. Rea 0
Mr. A. Lowry's A.P., 8-6 ....G. Wallis 0
Mr. H. I. Ussher's Princess Ina, 8-6 J. Moylan 0
Mr. J. A. Mangan's Pucka Ranee, 8-6 A. Wilson 0
Mr. F. S. Myerscough's Fuse, 8-6 ...F. M'Kenna 0
Mr. P. J. Lenehan's Loch Derg, 7-13 (car. 8-1) J. Lenehan 0
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Lady Glendoe, 7-13 D. Kirwan 0

(Winner trained by A. H. Macaulay.)

Betting—2 to 1 each agst. BLUE BELL and Curragh Tip, 4 to 1 Lindbergh, 8 to 1 Bachelor's Squall, 100 to 8 any other.

Curragh Tip led from Lindbergh, Blue Bell, Fuse, Lady Glendoe and Pucka Ranee. After five furlongs Blue Bell took second place, and, heading Curragh Tip in the straight, went on to win by a length and a half; eight lengths divided second and third. Fuse was fourth, Bachelor's Squall fifth, Lady Glendoe sixth and Pucka Ranee next.

3.45—THE DARGLE PLATE of 200 sovs., of which the second receives 20 sovs. and the third 10 sovs. For two years old. 5 f.

Mr. John Burns's b. g. FACINO, by Soulouque, dam by Saxham—Venetian Maid, 8-9 T. Burns 1
Sir T. Dixon's MONLA, 9-6 ....M. Wing 2
Mr. H. M. Hartigan's FLEETING MEMORY, 9-1 ....Jos. Canty 3
Mr. G. J. Ball's Quick Toy, 9-1 ....E. Quirke 0
Mr. F. Clarke's Heather, 8-5 ....W. Miles 0
Mr. J. T. Rogers's ELTON, 8-9 ....J. Moylan 0

(Winner trained by A. H. Macaulay.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. FACINO, 3 to 1 each Fleeting Memory and Quick Toy, 6 to 1 Monla, 20 to 1 any other.

Quick Toy made the running from Monla, Elton, Facino, Heather and Fleeting Memory for three furlongs, when Monla drew to the front, followed by Facino and Fleeting Memory. Facino challenged in the last furlong, and, getting up close home, won by a short head; five lengths divided second and third. Elton was fourth and Heather next.

4.15—THE DUNDRUM PLATE of 75 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. A weight for age race. 1 m.

Mr. A. H. Macaulay's ch. c. OLD ORKNEY, by Loch Lomond—Queen's Health, 3, 8-6 T. Burns 1
Mr. J. S. Shepherd's DONERAILE, 3, 7-11 James Doyle 2
Mr. F. S. Myerscough's CAILIN DUBH, 3, 8-13 F. McKenna 3

(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—3 to 1 on OLD ORKNEY, 4 to 1 agst. Doneraile, 10 to 1 Cailin Dubh.

Doneraile set the pace to Old Orkney and Cailin Dubh for seven furlongs, when Old Orkney took command and won in a canter by five lengths; half a length divided second and third.

4.45—THE THREE ROCK HANDICAP PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 15 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. A handicap. 5 f.

Mr. E. J. Kieran's ch. f. ATHLONE LASS, by Athlone—Bright Hackle, 3, 7-13 ...D. Ward 1
Mr. F. S. Myerscough's ARGINA, 4, 7-5 John Doyle *
Mr. E. F. Barry's SISTER JOSEPHINE, 3, 6-9 (car. 7-3) ....G. McQuillan *
Mr. J. Read's Golden Bird, 5, 9-0 ...W. Howard 0
Mr. W. A. Wallis's Lady Wembley, 3, 9-0 M. Wing 0
Mr. H. F. Evans's Royal Heroine, 3, 9-0 Joseph Canty 0
Mr. W. Coffey's Golden Ina, 4, 8-12 E. Quirke 0
Mr. P. J. Murphy's May Orb, 5, 8-12 James Doyle 0
Mr. J. A. Farrell's Princess Peg, 3, 7-3 W. Rea 0

*Dead-heat for second place.

(Winner trained by M. Arnott.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. Royal Heroine, 4 to 1 each Lady Wembley, May Orb, Argina, 6 to 1 each ATHLONE LASS and Golden Ina, 8 to 1 each Princess Peg, 10 to 1 Sister Josephine, 50 to 1 Golden Bird.

Royal Heroine led from Lady Wembley, Athlone Lass, Argina, and Sister Josephine for three furlongs, when Athlone Lass took command. Inside the distance Argina and Sister Josephine closed with the leader, but Athlone Lass kept them at bay and won by three-quarters of a length; a dead-heat for second place. Lady Wembley was fourth, Royal Heroine fifth and Golden Ina next.

5.15—THE FOXROCK HANDICAP PLATE of 75 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. A handicap flat race. 1½ m.

Mr. J. J. Parkinson's b. g. PROSPICE, by Zria—The Pile, 6, 12-10 ...Captain D. Corry 1
Mr. R. O'Neill's FORGOTTEN, 5, 10-7 Mr. Nugent 2
Mr. J. Burns's FIDDLEBACK, a, 12-5 Mr. T. Cullinan 3
Mr. R. Power's Striped Silk, 6, 12-5 Mr. J. T. Widger 0
Mr. O. T. V. Slocock's Lady Lucienne, 4, 11-13 Owner 0
Mr. E. Kennedy's Prince of Iveagh, 3, 11-13 Owner 0
Mr. W. P. Gill's Skidaw, 3, 11-12 Mr. B. Rogers 0
Mr. E. J. Kieran's Laudamus, 3, 11-5 Mr. L. T. Byrne 0
Mrs. N. J. Kelly's Confidence, 5, 10-7 Mr. F. Clarke 0
Mr. A. Lowry's Bachelor's Trump, 6, 10-7 (car. 10-8) ....Mr. C. Brabazon 0

(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. Skidaw, 4 to 1 PROSPICE, 5 to 1 Fiddleback, 6 to 1 Confidence, 10 to 1 Forgotten or any other.

Bachelor's Trump stood still at the start, and Laudamus made the running from Prospice, Lady Lucienne, Striped Silk, Skidaw, Forgotten, Confidence, and Fiddleback for half the journey. Prospice then drew into the lead, and, easily holding Forgotten and Fiddleback at bay, won by a length; two and a half lengths divided second and third. Lady Lucienne was fourth, Striped Silk fifth, Skidaw sixth and Prince of Iveagh next.

BRIGHTON TO-DAY:

SELECTIONS.

Aquarium Selling—King Throstle.
Kemp Town Plate—Lady Sheila.
Autumn Cup—Adage.
Hove Nursery—Guadiana.*
Preston Park Welter—Mister Moon.
South Coast Plate—Smith Seal.

TO-DAY'S DOUBLE.

Guadiana (Brighton) and Milanaise filly (Hamilton Park).

PROBABLE RUNNERS AND BETTING.

2.0—AQUARIUM SELLING HANDICAP, a plate of 300 sovs. Second saves entrance. 6f. 66 yds.

	Age	st.	lb.
EULOISE (Mr. McElroy) (7lb. ex.) McKenna	a	9	2
DUCKS AND DRAKES (Mr. S. Bennet) S. Bennet	6	9	0
BIG BEN (Mr. J. W. Simmon) H. Smyth	4	8	13
CAIMA (Mr. H. J. Delarce) W. Nightingall	3	8	12
LADY CAPULET (Mrs. D'Arcy Baker) Cundell	5	8	11
HERMES (Mr. A. Boutall, jun.) V. Smyth	5	8	9
HEROD ANTIPAS (Mr. G. Duller) Duller	6	8	7
PROBUS (Mr. M. Dollar)......W. Payne	5	8	7
DIAGORAS (Capt. Guest)......F. Barrett	5	8	5
WINDOVER (Mr. O. Martin Smith) Kemp	6	8	5
ICEMAN (Mr. P. Hands)......Thrale	4	8	3
KING THROSTLE (Miss W. G. Knight) Goby	a	8	3
FOURFOOTED (Mr. J. F. Hackett) Hackett	3	8	3
PRIVATE PAT (Mr. E. C. de Mestre) De Mestre	3	8	0
RUN OUT (Mr. A. M. Jones)...Turner	6	7	13
GOOD HUNTING (Mr. E. G. de Mestre) De Mestre	3	7	12
IDOLATRY (Mr. F. T. Halse)...Martin	4	7	11
DOWNCAST (Mrs. V. Russell)......Dale	3	7	11
BACHELOR'S FUN (Mr. V. Smyth) V. Smyth	4	7	9
CLUB FOOT (Maj. H. Colmore) W. Payne	6	7	8
PAYCOCK (Mr. S. Wootton)...Wootton	3	7	7
SOFIANT (Maj. Morris)......Morris	4	7	6
GLAMIS MAID (Mr. W. McElroy) McKenna	5	7	6
POLYPODIUM (Mr. D. M. Gant) L. Hammond	4	7	6
HORACE (Mr. J. H. N. Dalton)...Willett	5	7	6
VESSOM (Mr. J. Mayo)......Hedges	4	7	2
LOVELY MAIDEN (Mr. R. G. Heaton) Cundell	3	7	0
TRECARNE (Mr. W. F. Larkin)..Larkin	3	6	9
COPT HEATH (Mr. H. J. Brueton) E. Piggott	3	[illegible]	7
FLYING UNIT (Mr. B. Runciman) Runciman	3	6	5

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
31?	DUCKS AND DRAKES ....J. Leach	5/1
005	BIG BEN ....Packham	8/1
400	CAIMA ....Perryman	7/1
014	HERMES ....G. Richards	4/1
400	HEROD ANTIPAS ....Beary	10/1
000	DIAGORAS ....Lane	100/8
030	ICEMAN ....R. Dick	6/1
092	KING THROSTLE ....R. Jones	9/2
100	FOURFOOTED ....Jelliss	100/8
003	PRIVATE PAT ....Field	11/4
000	IDOLATRY ....Dines	10/1
000	BACHELOR'S FUN ....Cooksey	100/8
02	CLUBFOOT ....Sirett	8/1
000	PAYCOCK ....A. Wragg	5/1
001	GLAMIS MAID ....Alford	7/1
030	POLYPODIUM ....L. Read	10/1
002	HORACE ....Walsh	100/8

2.30—KEMP TOWN ALL-AGED SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. Second saves entrance. 6f.

	Age	st.	lb.
DUCKS AND DRAKES (Mr. S. Bennet) S. Bennet	6	9	5
BLARNEY STONE (Mr. J. A. Phillips) W. Nightingall	a	9	3
ORPINE (Mr. F. J. Benson)...E. Wilson	a	9	0
PROBUS (Mr. M. Dollar)...W. Payne	5	9	0
BARKHAM SQUARE (Mr. L. Hammond) ....L. Hammond	4	9	0
HEAH (Mr. P. Hands)......Thrale	6	9	0
LADY SHEILA (Mr. R. C. Huggett) Anthony	6	9	0
SILENT GUARD (Mr. V. Smyth) V. Smyth	5	9	0
PURPLE HEATHER (Mr. G. F. Waller) V. Smyth	4	9	0
LADY LONG (Mr. F. Hartigan) F. Hartigan	4	8	12
SERAPHENALIA (Mr. R. White) Woodland	3	8	12
LOREEN (Mr. S. Wootton)......Wootton	3	8	10
THE YELLOW EARL (Mr. G. Davies-Scourfield) ....Davies-Scourfield	4	8	2
GLORY III. (Mr. C. S. Gray) J. Nightingall	4	8	2
HOWKAR (Capt. J. G. R. Homfray) Sherwood	3	8	2
OUDRY (Lord Queenborough) G. Bennet	4	8	2
GUITAR (Lord Queenborough) G. Bennett	3	8	2
GLEANED (Mr. T. A. Edge)......Poole	2	6	13
PIANA (Mrs. D. McKenna)...McKenna	2	6	13
COUNTY PALATINE C. by Monarch (Mr. Howard Lacy)...M. Reardon	2	6	11
ETHARIA (Mr. H. D. Bazley)...Bazley	2	6	8
PANTOMIME (Major P. Garratt) C. Chapman	2	6	8
INFATUATION (Mr. W. A. Read) C. Chapman	2	6	8
SWEET MAY (Mr. W. A. Read) C. Chapman	2	6	8

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
310	DUCKS AND DRAKES ....J. Leach	5/1
440	LADY LONG ....H. Beasley	9/2
300	BLARNEY STONE ....Perryman	8/1
020	ORPINE ....Jelliss	10/1
400	PEROBUS ....Smirke	7/1
423	LADY SHEILA ....Lane	4/1
410	HEAH ....R. Jones	6/1
000	BARKHAM SQUARE ....G. Richards	8/1
020	PURPLE HEATHER ....Packham	10/1
020	LOREEN ....A. Wragg	3/1
000	GLORY III. ....Dines	100/8
003	GUITAR ....Beary	5/1
000	HOWKER ....P. Donoghue	10/1
000	COUNT PALATINE ....C. Cordell	100/8
000	ETHARIA ....L. Read	100/8

3.0—BRIGHTON AUTUMN CUP, a handicap plate of 500 sovs. (including a Cup, value 50 sovs., at the option of the winner). Second receives 50 sovs., and third 25 sovs. 1¼ m.

	Age	st.	lb.
VOLTA'S PRIDE (Mr. E. L. Short) W. Nightingall	4	9	0
SILVER LARK (Mrs. Bendir) M. Hartigan	4	8	13
POLISH PATRIOT (Mr. T. Walton) Killalie	a	8	9
ADAGE (Mr. S. Wootton)......Wootton	4	8	8
SILVERSTEAD (Mrs. C. Rich) W. Nightingall	3	8	5
MEDAL (Mrs. T. Carthew)......Wootton	3	8	4
FRANK BARE (Mr. S. Wootton) Wootton	6	8	3
BISQUINE (Baron Baeyens)...MacColl	3	8	0
LORD PRESTO (Lord Derby) Frank Butters	4	8	0
AUTOCRAT (Mr. H. E. Steel)...Walls	4	7	13
JAMNAGAR (Capt. R. E. Sassoon) (10lb. ex.) ....Martin	6	7	11
GRANDFLIGHT (Ld. Glanely)...Archer	4	7	10
CHASE ME CHARLIE (Sir Hugo Fitz-Herbert) ....Clement	5	7	9
CLONESPOE (Mr. E. N. Lyons) J. Nightingall	a	7	9
NOTTINGHAM PET (Col. W. F. Story) J. Dawson	5	7	9
ELCHO (Sir W. Gilbey) (10lb. ex.) T. Cannon	3	7	9
TIDE (Sir Malcolm McAlpine) J. M. Bell	4	7	8
ALESSANDO (Mr. W. Duckworth) W. Payne	3	7	7
ROYAL FALCON (Mrs. D. Drummond) Leach, jun.	4	7	7
THALASSA (Mr. Anthony de Rothschild) ....Watson	3	7	6
GIFTED (Mrs. S. Whitburn)......Cottrill	5	7	6
KING'S OVEN (Mr. W. M. G. Singer) Davies-Scourfield	4	7	5

LINKMAN (Mr. T. A. Edge)......Poole	5	7	0
LYRA (Mr. P. Hands)......L. Hammond	3	6	10
FATHALLAH (Lord Queenborough) G. Bennett	3	6	10
FLY DAME (Mr. R. B. Jeffrey)...Higgs	3	6	9
GRANDENE (Ld. Glanely)......Archer	3	6	8
WIND SWEPT (Mr. A. K. Charlesworth) Basley	a	6	7
HIGHLAND REEL (Mr. W. M. G. Singer) ....A. Davies-Scourfield	3	6	7
MERRY-MAKING (Mr. W. J. Waldron) R. Jones	4	6	7

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
301	SILVER LARK ....G. Richards	3/1
410	POLISH SAINT ....Perryman	10/1
013	ADAGE ....Smirke	9/2
000	SILVERSTEAD ....Carslake	7/1
000	BISQUITE ....Thwaites	8/1
021	AUTOCRAT ....Beary	10/1
101	JAMNAGAR ....Dines	6/1
312	CHASE ME CHARLIE ....Pryor	5/1
400	CLONESPOE ....Marshall	100/8
101	ELCHO ....Sirett	4/1
400	TIDE ....Robertson	100/6
310	LINKMAN ....A. Wragg	100/6
03	LYRA ....A. Burns	100/8
020	FATHALLAH ....Cordell	100/6
402	FLYDAME ....A. Berry	100/7
023	WINDSWEPT ....L. Read	10/1
000	HIGHLAND REEL ....Turner	100/6

3.30—HOVE NURSERY HANDICAP, a plate of 400 sovs. Second receives 40 sovs., and third 20 sovs. 6 f.

	st.	lb.
GUADIANA (Ld. Queenborough) G. Bennett	9	0
RATHDORA (Mr. S. Wootton)......Wootton	8	10
GRANDMASTER (Lord Glanely)......Archer	8	9
PORT HOLE (Mr. Sol Joel)......Earl	8	6
SILVER ORE (Col. W. Story) J. Dawson	8	6
SILVERN ISLE (Sir A. Bailey)...R. Day	8	4
PENNY ROCK (Mrs. Roundell)......Larkin	8	3
SKIPPER'S SLIP (Lord Dewar) M. Hartigan	8	3
NANKA (Mr. C. H. Bryans)......Bryans	8	2
BRIGHT STEEL (Lord Glanely)......Archer	8	2
GLIDE (Mr. R. Day)......R. Day	8	1
LALLAH (Mr. S. Wootton)......Wootton	8	0
GRAND DAY (Capt. Brassey)......Persse	7	13
MISDEMEANOUR (Mrs. D. Crossman) Pope	7	13
NOUR JEHAN (Lt.-Col. R. B. Johnson) Johnson	7	11
ORTOLAN (Mr. E. Martin)......Martin	7	11
KALORNIS (Mr. C. H. Bryans)......Bryans	7	7
BREAK OF DAY (Lord Dewar) D. Pickering	7	7
HELIOSCOPE (Lt.-Col. J. Mayhew) A. Day	7	7
DILLY (Mr. F. Darling)......M. Hartigan	7	5
RULE NISI F., by Lemonora (Lady Aylesford) ....Turner	7	3
BUCKRA (Maj. J. C. Lewis)...Leach, jun.	7	3
SONNING LOCK (Mr. D. L. Wilson) Wilmot	7	2
LIDO LADY (Mr. G. S. Whitelaw) Whitelaw	7	0
POSTBRIDGE C., by Blink (Mr. W. Singer) Davies-Scourfield	7	0
PAS ENCORE (Mr. M. Corrigan) Private	6	13
WINSOME CISS C., by Trespasser (Mr. G. Duller) ....Duller	6	9

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
211	GUARDIAN ....Beary	9/4
120	RATHDORA ....Smirke	5/1
013	PENNYROCK ....A. Piper	7/1
022	SKIPPER SLIP ....G. Richards	7/1
201	NANKA ....Doble	4/1
030	BRIGHT STEEL ....Thwaites	8/1
131	LALLAH ....Marshall	8/1
033	GRAND DAY ....P. Beasley	5/1
403	NOUR JEHAN ....Graves	10/1
140	BREAK OF DAY ....Sirett	6/1
004	HELIOSCOPE ....Walsh	10/1
000	RULE NISI F. ....Robertson	100/7
040	SONNING LOCK ....G. Barber	100/7
000	POSTBRIDGE ....A. Wragg	100/7
040	WINSOME CISS ....A. Berry	10/1

4.0—PRESTON PARK WELTER HANDICAP, a plate of 200 sovs. Second receives 20 sovs. and third 10 sovs. 1¼ m.

	Age	st.	lb.
BASSOON (Mrs. S. Whitburn) (7lb. ex.) Cottrill	4	12	12
CARRYDUFF (Lord W. de Broke) Turner	a	12	7
DARK FOX (Sir C. Hyde)......Scobie	a	12	7
LINKMAN (Mr. T. A. Edge)......Poole	5	12	3
BLACK SHEEP (Mr. A. Ansell)......Hare	6	11	12
FIDDLE PIN (Maj. Barrett) F. Barrett	6	11	10
FOOLISH LAD (Mr. H. Lee) L. Hammond	3	11	8
HE SINGS (Mr. J. Scott)......J. Scott	5	11	7
SAND HILL (Mr. W. Murray) Cottrill	4	11	7
JOYOUS GREETING (Mr. F. Wright) Templeman	3	11	5
PECCADILLO (Mr. J. Hoboken)...Knel	6	11	5
THEOLOGY (Lt.-Col. R. Crawford) Cramsie	6	11	5
DITHYRAMB (Sir H. Bird) G. Bennett	3	11	5
RED RONALD (Mrs. M. Davis) J. Scott	a	11	1
DESIRE (Sir Hugh Nugent)......Nugent	a	11	1
MISTER MOON (Mr. R. H. Gresson) Rimell	4	11	0
GOLDEN BOOK (Mr. M. Blair) Blair	6	11	0
BRIDGE OF ATHLONE (Maj. J. North) F. A. Brown	5	10	12
DILEMMA (Mr. T. A. Edge)......Poole	5	10	12
PARADEISOS (Mr. J. Clement) Clement	4	10	12
NOCTIFER (Mrs. E. Allfrey) W. Payne	4	10	10
LONGEST (Mrs. M. Turner)......Hedges	4	10	10
CAPPAWHITE (Mr. H. Rich) Cundell	6	10	7
HAND IN GLOVE (Mr. A. Curzon-Howe) L. Hammond	3	10	7
LINDHOLM (Mr. J. Mackay) Mackay	a	10	7

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
340	CARRYDUFF ....Lord Killeen	7/1
004	BLACK SHEEP ....Major H. Misa	9/2
003	FIDDLE PIN ....Mr. Roberts	6/1
400	FOOLISH LAD ....Mr. Evans	10/1
340	PECCADILLO ....Captain Knel	10/1
034	DITHYRAMB ....Mr. Gosden	9/2
000	DESIRE ....Sir H. Nugent	5/1
001	MISTER MOON ....Mr. Kirk	5/2
0	BRIDGE OF ATHLONE ....Mr. Dennis	10/1
030	NOCTIFER ....Mr. Allfrey	10/1
040	CAPPAWHITE ....Mr. F. Cundell	8/1
320	HAND AND GLOVE ....Mr. C. Howe	100/8
000	LINDHOLM ....Mr. Mackay	100/8

4.30—SOUTH COAST MODERATE PLATE of 200 sovs. Second receives 20 sovs. and third 10 sovs. 6 f.

	Age	st.	lb.
SMITH SEAL (Mr. M. Dollar) W. Payne	4	8	11
TAMARIST (Sir F. Eley)......Clancy	3	8	6
RATHNALLY (Baron F. de Tuyll) F. Hartigan	3	8	3
BONIFACE (Mrs. F. Bullock) R. Jones	5	8	3
HIDALGO II (Mr. J. A. Dawson) J. Dawson	4	8	3
ICEMAN (Mr. P. Hands)......Thrale	4	8	2
BUCHYLEEN (Sir Delves Broughton) Farquharson	4	7	13
LONG LEAVE (Mr. A. P. Cunliffe) Cunliffe	4	7	13
QUEEN OF THE ARENA (Mr. J. W. Hammond) ....J. Manser	4	7	13
MELLERAY'S PAGE (Mrs. M. Jones) W. Jones	4	7	13
BICARBONATE (Mr. E. G. de Mestre) De Mestre	4	7	13
LARGIE (Lord Queenborough) G. Bennett	4	7	13
GOLDEN ALE (Lt.-Col. E. Wallinger) F. Leader	4	7	13
SUDDARY (Mr. F. Archer) J. Manser	3	7	8
TRAFAD (Mr. F. Benson)......E. Wilson	3	7	8
COLD STEEL (Mrs. T. Carthew) Wootton	3	7	8
TESTED (Mr. A. Heathorn)...S. Bennet	3	7	8
FRIAR'S BROOK (Capt. J. Homfray) Sherwood	3	7	8
GREY MARTEN (Lord Queenborough) G. Bennett	3	7	8
TAMARIND (Maj. H. T. Barclay) J. Cannon	3	7	8
EASTER GIFT (Mr. Cornelius) Larkin	3	7	5
CERULEAN (Lord H. de Walden) D. Waugh	3	7	5
COMPLINE BELL (Mr. F. W. Morley) M. Hartigan	3	7	5
SINKING SUN (Mr. F. Wilmot) Poole	3	7	5
HASTY QUEEN (Mr. J. M. Woodville) Sneyd	3	7	5
TOUJOURS (Mr. L. Peel Yates) Hobbs	3	7	5

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
112	RATHNALLY ....H. Beasley	7/4
4	BUCHYLEEN ....Beary	9/2
003	LONG LEAVE ....P. Beasley	7/1
034	QUEEN OF ARENA ....A. Piper	10/1
433	MELLERAY'S PAGE ....Graves	8/1
300	COLD STEEL ....Marshall	3/1
320	GRAY MARTEN ....Field	7/1
430	TESTED ....Sirett	3/1
100	EASTER GIFT ....Dines	100/8
040	COMPLINE BELL ....G. Richards	8/1

WOLVERHAMPTON.

TO-DAY'S ORDER OF RUNNING.

1.45—Bushbury (S.) Handicap Hurdle Race.
2.15—Juvenile Hurdle Race.
2.45—Wolverhampton Handicap Hurdle Race.
3.15—Shifnal (S.) Steeplechase.
3.45—Ruckley Handicap Steeplechase.
4.15—Amateur Riders' Open Steeplechase.

SELECTIONS.

Bushbury Selling—**Nothing Higher.**
Juvenile Hurdle—**Bohemia.**
Wolverhampton Hurdle—**Scarlet Stripes.**
Shifnal Steeplechase—**Bed Rock.**
Ruckley Steeplechase—**West Countryman.**
Amateur Riders' Steeplechase—**Hawker.***

THIS WEEK'S RACING FIXTURES.

IRELAND.

To-day—Proudstown Park (Navan).
To-morrow—Mallow.
Wednesday and Thursday—Limerick.
Saturday—Phoenix Park.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

To-day—Brighton.
To-day and To-morrow—Hamilton Park.
To-day and To-morrow—Wolverhampton.
To-morrow, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday—Newmarket.
Wednesday and Thursday—Pontefract.
Wednesday and Thursday—Monmouth.
Friday and Saturday—Thirsk.
Saturday—Alexandra Park.

Wolverhampton Mounts.

J. Moloney, the Irish steeplechase jockey, has been engaged to ride Cylvida, Rollahbutts, Gryphon, and Patron Saint at the National Hunt fixture which commences at Wolverhampton to-day.

SELECTIONS FOR BRIGHTON MEETING TO-DAY.

PAPER.	2.0 RACE.	2.30 RACE.	3.0 RACE.	3.30 RACE.	4.0 RACE.	4.30 RACE.
Irish Times	King Throstle.	Lady Sheila.	Adage.	Guadiana.*	Mister Moon.	Smith Seal.
Galtee More	—	—	Silver Lark.	Break of Day.	Joyous Greeting.	—
S. Life and Sportsman	Lady Capulet.	Heah.	Wootton's selected.	Bright Steel.*	Joyous Greeting.	Sinking Sun.
Man on the Spot	King Throstle.	Lady Sheila.	Elcho.*	Guadiana.	Mister Moon.	Queen of the Arena.
Westminster Gazette	Private Pat; if ab., King Throstle.	Oudry; if ab., Lady Sheila.	Silver Lark.	Break of Day.	Joyous Greeting.	Tested.
Daily Express	King Throstle.*	Lady Sheila; if ab., Lady Long.	Silver Lark; if ab., Adage.	Penny Rock; if ab., Guadiana.	Joyous Greeting, next best.	Sinking Sun; if ab., Golden Ale.
Daily Mirror	King Throstle.	Lady Sheila.	Chase Me Charlie.	Grand Pet.	Paradeisos.	Rathnally.
Daily Sketch	King Throstle.	Blarney Stone.	Silver Lark.	Grand Day.	Black Sheep.	Rathnally; if ab., Golden Ale.
Star	Hermes.	Silent Guard.	Chase Me Charlie.*	Sonning Lock.	Joyous Greeting.	Smith Seal.
Evening News	King Throstle.	Loreen.	Wootton's selected.	Penny Rock.	Linkman.	Long Leave.*
Evening Standard	Fourfooted.	Lady Long.	Jamnagar.	Dilly.	Paradeisos.	Friar's Brook.
The Times	Caima; if ab., Hermes.	Silent Guard.	Volta's Pride; if ab., Wootton's sel.	Guadiana; if ab., Break o' Day.	Paradeisos.	Rathnally.

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J. LEAHY, 34 Moore st., Dublin.
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F. W. HALL, 1 Crow st., Dublin.
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W. McCONNELL, 73 Aungier st., Dublin.
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GOFF'S BLOODSTOCK SALES

The autumn sales of Messrs. Goff and Co. were concluded last Saturday at the Sale Paddocks, Ballsbridge. The attendance was smaller than on Friday, but there was a fair demand for the better class lots. A number, however, failed to reach the reserves. The extent of the business transacted is indicated in the appended prices:—

Property of Mr. T. Parsons.	
Grange Con (aged), b. m., by Sunny Land—Lisa II., and her Bay Filly Foal, by Cramond (Colonel Scott Moore)	50
Property of Mr. William J. Byrne.	
B. c. Foal, by Corn Kale—Lady Appleton (Mr. J. Hawe)	55
Property of Mr. John A. Coen.	
French Glory (aged), b. m., by Winstanley—Grey Glory; covered by Americus Boy (Mr. J. W. Coughlan)	50
Property of Mr. J. F. Banahan.	
Greywood (aged), gr. m., by Book—Sister Emelda; covered by Grey Admiral (Mr. E. R. Pindar)	100
Property of Mr. D. Sullivan.	
Carrigneil (6 yrs.), ch. m., by Flying Orb—The Grange; covered by Roi Hero (Mr. C. Rogers)	290
B. m. (5 yrs.), by Prospector—Lady Menander covered by Beresford (Mr. P. J. Leonard)	135
Alaska Belle (4 yrs.), ch. m., by Prospector—Lady Earn; covered by Sonning (Mr. F. Rogers)	250
Property of Mr. Jos. Whelan.	
Ch. Filly Foal, by Linby—Stand Aside (Capt. C. Boyd-Rochfort)	85
Property of Mr. W. T. Carolan.	
Hope Brook (aged), bl. m., by Bachelor's Hope—Glenbrook (Mr. M. Magnier)	85
Property of Dr. P. C. Hickey.	
Ardonan (aged), br. m., by Ardoon—Ballyonan; covered by Polemic (Mr. W. Murphy)	30
From the Ballymacarney Stud.	
Bay Colt Foal, by Cap Gris Nez—Mrs. Jinks (Mr. R. Quinlan)	50
Property of the Breeder.	
Zohara (aged), b. m., by Carbine—Zoberda (Mr. V. Moroney)	55
Property of Mr. J. McLaughlin.	
Queen Rosa (6 yrs.), ch. m., by Captain Ross—Simon's Lawn; covered by Haki (Mr. D. B. Brennan)	28
Property of Mr. Jas. O'Keeffe.	
Bay Yearling Filly, by Jackdaw—Moonrozzo (Irish Bloodstock Agency)	40
Property of Mr. Michael Ryan.	
The Temptress (aged), b. m., by The Boss—Winking Anne; covered by Friar's Melody (Mr. F. Rogers)	175
Property of Mr. M. J. Fox.	
Hemp (aged), b. m., by Spearmint—Canvas Back; covered by Orb (Mr. T. H. M'Keever)	110
Coolnaha (4 yrs.), br. m., by Stornoway—Frauenmunze; covered by Tremola (Mr. E. R. Purdon)	130
Siva (aged), ch. m., by Juggernaut—Fer; covered by Orb (Mr. Magnier)	180
Property of Mr. T. P. Magnier.	
Little Bridge (aged), b. m., by Bridge of Earn—Zona; covered by Cottage (Mr. B. Molony)	40
Property of Mr. L. Bracken.	
Lady Orchil (aged), b. m., by Righ Mor—Glen-na-Smole; covered by Soldennis (Mr. H. Dudgeon)	180
Bay Filly Foal, by Soldennis—Lady Orchil (Mr. A. Farrell)	120
Property of Mr. W. J. Mitchell.	
Scilly Queen (aged), b. m., by Cylgad—Queen of the Dell; covered by Soldennis (Mr. T. Tyrrell)	35
Property of the Parsonstown Manor Stud.	
Faithful Donna (aged), ch. m., by William Rufus—Donna Fidelia; covered by Knight of the Leopard (Mr. Murray)	20
Property of Mr. Jas. J. Long.	
Fair Mary (aged), b. m., by Firmilian—Mary Mac; covered by Buckler (Mr. C. Prendergast)	90
Property of Mr. J. D. Barret.	
Bay Filly Foal, by Orb—Sea Penance (Mr. Farrell)	50
Property of Mrs. Helen O'Neill.	
Bay Gelding (3yrs.), by Royal Gris—Trim and Tidy (Mr. J. C. Lynch)	170
Property of Mr. T. H. Kellett.	
Bay Filly Foal, by Brave Chap—Demetia (Mr. R. Quinlan)	60
Property of a Breeder.	
Zanobia (aged), b. m., by Zria—Nanoya; covered by Irishman (Mr. Carolan)	42
Property of Mr. J. G. Evans.	
Gartlandstown (aged), ch. m., by General Symons—Icebound; covered by Wildair (Mr. O'Brien)	7
Ch. Filly Foal, by Wildair—Gartlandstown (Mr. Carrigan)	58
Bay Colt Foal, by Wildair—Rosey Ina (Mr. J. W. Fullerton)	120
Bay Yearling Colt, by Wildair—Rosey Ina (Mr. Hilliard)	180
Property of Mrs. R. P. Croft.	
Zamora (5 yrs.), b. m., by Zria—Templeboden; covered by Tagrag and Knight of the Garter (Mr. Lawlor)	130
Bay Filly Foal, by Corn Kale—Zamora (Mr. Lawlor)	85
Property of Capt. R. B. Brassey.	
Massie II. (aged), br. m., by General Gough—Little May II.; covered by Athlone (Mr. Gilpin)	100
Bay Filly Foal, by Athlone—Massie II. (Mr. Gilpin)	100
Property of Capt. J. A. Hornsby.	
Miss Ross (aged), b. m., by Captain Ross—Simon's Lawn; covered by Bachelor's Heir (Mr. J. Dixon)	60
Bay Filly Foal, by Rhodesian—Miss Ross (Mr. Dodd)	30
Property of Mr. J. Radcliff.	
Juggler (4 yrs.), bl. g., by Juggernaut—Rager Alice (Mr. Widger)	80
Property of Mr. William J. Byrne.	
Courthill, bay filly (3 yrs.), by Ballyeaston—Belladonna (Irish Bloodstock Agency)	140
Property of Mr. H. D. Boothman.	
Bay Filly (3 yrs.), by Romus—Feather Head (Mr. J. Laverty)	80
From the National Stud.	
Dutch Lady (aged), br. m., by Count Schomberg—Elm Twig; covered by Diligence (Lord Kenmare)	130
Countess Zia (aged), br. m., by Gallinule—Order of Merit; covered by Son-in-Law (Mr. Cash)	300

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Tetrachord Not Sold.

The speedy three-year-old Tetrachord was offered for sale at Newbury on Saturday, but failed to reach the reserve. She was withdrawn at 2,100 guineas.

NEWBURY MEETING.

LIGHTNING ARTIST TAKES THE CUP.

2.0—TWO YEARS OLD SELLING PLATE of 250 sovs. 5 f.
Lord Woolavington's ch. g. KING'S COLOUR, by Monarch—Neil Girl, 8-4 ......J. Childs 1
Sir H. Cunliffe Owen's DEAS MHUMA F., 8-4 L. Brown 2
Mr. P. Thellusson's CHEERIO, 7-13 ..G. Baines 3
Also ran—Mr. Toots (W. Wells), Shield (J. Sirett), Flame Shot (J. Lane), Marlhills Beau (A. Burns), Freewill (F. Fox), Woodland Bride F. (C. Elliott), Angele g. (C. Ray), Gleaned (G. Richards), Herdsman (S. Donoghue), Falling Tide (R. Dick), The Pheasant f. (J. Dobie), Summer Night (J. Cox), Ortolan (I. Martin), Love in the Mist (R. Jones), Rustic (A. Lister), Abandon (C. Richards). Off at 2.4. (Winner trained by F. Darling.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. Cheerio, 11 to 4 Freewill, 6 to 1 KING'S COLOUR, 7 to 1 Gleaned, 100 to 8 each Ortolan and Love in the Mist, 100 to 7 Deas Mhuma f., 25 to 1 any other.
Won by three lengths; a head. Marlhills Beau was fourth and Angele g. last.
The winner was sold to Mr. H. L. Cottrill for 1,000 gns.

2.30—LONG DISTANCE SELLING HANDICAP, a plate of 250 sovs. 1½ m.
Mr. H. C. Miller's br. h. REPERTOIRE, by Birlingham—Rappel, 5, 7-5 K. Robertson 1
Mr. J. Bancroft's L'ADDITION, 5, 6-13 A. Burns 2
Mr. D. M. Gant's SOLITARY, 5, 7-8 G. Richards 3
Also ran—Canova (H. Graves), Machilla (J. Nolan), Theology (R. James), Simonian (F. Fox), Patsy (J. Sirett), Son o' Love (G. Walsh), Irish Cheddar (J. Dines), Dilemma (H. Packham), Retrieve (A. Wragg), Sue Wayne (H. Whitehouse), Phenix (T. Bartlam), Polyphonia (L. Cordell), Flying Fan (A. Berry). Off at 2.38. (Winner trained by Dale.)
Betting—7 to 2 agst. Irish Cheddar, 5 to 1 Retrieve, 6 to 1 each REPERTOIRE and L'Addition, 7 to 1 Simonian, 8 to 1 Theology, 10 to 1 Flying Fan, 20 to 1 any other.
Won by three lengths; half a length. Retrieve was fourth and Machilla tailed off, last.
The winner was bought in for 410 gns.

3.10—KINGSCLERE PLATE of 1,000 sovs. Three years old. 1¼ m.
Brig.-Gen. C. Lambton's b. f. ATTAR, by Attalus—Minah, 7-11 ....G. Richards 1
Sir G. Bullough's VALOIS, 9-0 ....C. Elliott 2
Lady J. Douglas's ROMNEY, 9-3 ....J. Childs 3
Mr. T. F. Ryan's Damon, 9-7 ....H. Beasley 0
Mr. O. W. Rayner's Feng, 9-2 ....F. Fox 0
Major T. Bardwell's Parnholt, 8-2 ....M. Beary 0
Off 3.12. (Winner trained by T. Cannon.)
Betting—7 to 4 on Valois, 11 to 2 agst. ATTAR, 7 to 1 Romney, 10 to 1 Damon, 100 to 8 Feng, 20 to 1 Parnholt.
Attar speedily took up the running from Feng and Parnholt, with Damon last, just behind Valois. Attar held a clear lead from Parnholt after turning into the straight, and shortly afterwards Valois began to improve. The last-named headed Attar at the distance, the pair being clear of Romney; but, weakening close home, the favourite lost the lead to Attar, who came again and won by a short head; four lengths separated second and third. Parnholt was fourth, and Feng last.

3.45—NEWBURY AUTUMN CUP. A handicap plate of 1,750 sovs., including Cup value 50 sovs. 2 m. 1 f.
Mr. W. M. G. Singer's b. c. LIGHTNING ARTIST, by Gainsborough—Gallop Along, 4, 7-8 ....G. Richards 1
Major F. B. Sneyd's SIR JOSHUA, 3, 7-0 S. Wragg 2
Mr. F. T. Halse's EAGLE'S PRIDE, 4, 7-0 J. Dines 3
Lady Ludlow's Longquill, 5, 7-4...J. Caldwell 0
Mr. J. Goodenday's Mafoota, 6, 7-1...G. Walsh 0
Sir E. Wills's Sound Asleep, 5, 6-11...R. Read 0
Sir H. Meux's The Brown Talisman, 3, 6-12 A. Burns 0
Mrs. Cayzer's Dumbiedykes, 4, 6-7......L. Read 0
Mr. D. G. Hall's Gain Or, 4, 6-7...H. Packham 0
H.H. Aga Khan's Eurydice, 3, 6-3...T. Bartlam 0
Mr. M. D. Blair's Paxford, 6, 6-3....A. Wragg 0
Mr. W. J. Waldron's Merry Making, 4, 6-1 A. Berry 0
Off 3.48. (Winner trained by A. Taylor.)
Betting—9 to 4 on LIGHTNING ARTIST, 100 to 12 agst. Dumbiedykes, 10 to 1 Sir Joshua, 100 to 7 Eagle's Pride, 100 to 6 Sound Asleep, 20 to 1 each Longquill, Gain Or, and Mafoota; 33 to 1 any other.
Paxford jumped off in front of Dumbiedykes, Merry-making, Sir Joshua, and Lightning Artist, and led until rounding the top turn, where Dumbiedykes went on from Paxford and Gain Or, with Lightning Artist just in front of Eagle's Pride and Mafoota last. Gain Or joined Dumbiedykes after going six furlongs, but the last-named quickly regained the lead, and Lightning Artist moved up into third place. Gain Or was beaten shortly before the straight, and the favourite became second. After going a furlong in the straight, Lightning Artist closed with Dumbiedykes, and at this point Sir Joshua was third, followed by Eagle's Pride and Longquill. Heading Dumbiedykes a quarter of a mile from home, Lightning Artist came on from Sir Joshua, and at the distance the pair were well clear. In a good finish Lightning Artist, hard pressed, resisted Sir Joshua, and won by one length; eight lengths separated second and third. Dumbiedykes was fourth, Longquill fifth, Eurydice sixth, Gain Or seventh, Merry-making eighth, The Brown Talisman ninth, and Paxford tenth, with Mafoota last.
Draw for places:—No. 1 (inside), Longquill; 2, Merry-making; 3, Lightning Artist; 4, Mafoota; 5, Eagle's Pride; 6, Sound Asleep; 7, Sir Joshua; 8, The Brown Talisman; 9, Dumbiedykes; 10, Gain Or; 11 Eurydice; 12, Paxford.

4.15—DONNINGTON CASTLE MAIDEN PLATE of 300 sovs. Two years old. 5 f.
Mr. G. F. H. Bowcher's b. c. TUBORG, by Black Jester—Daisy Square, 9-0 ....F. Lane 1
Lord Carnarvon's SILVER WEDDING, 8-11 G. Richards 2
Mr. H. C. Sutton's SILVER SPOON, 9-0 S. Donoghue 3
Also ran—Song of Summer (Sirett), Springkell (H. Jelliss), Sunny Florence colt (J. Brennan), Observatory (E. Forsyth), Chuocks (H. Graves), Prince Alan (H. Leach), Mon Amie colt (C. Ray), Appledore (R. Jones), Historical (C. Richards), East Ridge (T. Marion), Gean (P. Beasley), We Three (G. Walsh), Potentilla filly (M. Beary), Lady Rock (C. Elliott), Ifreda (J. Kirby), Auld Lang Syne (J. Pigg), Aunt Mary (R. Dick), Le Perroquet (C. Smirke). Off 4.21. (Winner trained by Gwilt.)
Betting—5 to 2 agst. Gean, 7 to 2 Silver Wedding, 9 to 2 TUBORG, 6 to 1 Silver Spoon, 8 to 1 Lady Rock, 20 to 1 any other.
Won by three lengths; a length. Appledore was fourth and Potentilla filly last.

4.45—WHATCOMBE HANDICAP, a plate of 200 sovs. 5 f.
Lord Dewar's ch. f. MIDSUMMER, by Abbot's Trace—Dew of June, 3, 8-7 ....R. Jones 1
Mr. M. Vagliano's RICH VEIN, 4, 8-8 H. Beasley 2
Mr. C. E. Howard's SWEETIE, 3, 8-10 J. Childs 3
Also ran—Charmant (H. Leach), Flying Phœnix (J. Leach), Lovely Naples (J. Caldwell), Irenia (L. Brown), Warrior's Star (Carslake), Pleasant Thought (F. Lane), Temible (G. Baines), Eleonora (P. Beasley), Joliment (G. Walsh), Mallow Bridge (G. Richards), Dusky Brave (A. Burns), Euloise (T. Rimell), Andy (A. Wragg), Tetrapolis (R. Read), Whyte Warbler (A. Berry). Off 4.49. (Winner trained by D. Pickering.)
Betting—4 to 1 agst. Mallow Bridge, 5 to 1 Andy, 6 to 1 Temible, 8 to 1 each MIDSUMMER and Rich Vein, 100 to 12 each Euloise and Dusky Brave, 10 to 1 Irenia, 100 to 8 Sweetie, 20 to 1 any other.
Won by three-parts of a length; half a length. Temible was fourth and Lovely Naples last.

BOXING.

THE BIG FIGHT.

SEVEN DEATHS WHILE LISTENING-IN.

The seventh round of the big fight, so nearly fatal to the hopes of Tunney, was accompanied by the deaths, in various parts of America, of three boxing "fans," who were listening to the account of the fight over the wireless. Four others died during other rounds, and one man during the excitement immediately after the bout.

Dave Barry, who was the third man in the ring, states that Dempsey had no cause for complaint or protest. James J. Corbett, the ex-heavy-weight champion, says that, if a long count really happened, it was due to Dempsey's own failure to go to the neutral corner as soon as Tunney went down. The referee acted in strict accordance with the rules. Mr. Righeimer said that, whereas there was nothing on the Commission's records to show that Mr. Flynn was Dempsey's manager, and thereby qualified to file a protest, Dempsey's personal lawyer, Mr. Arthur Driscoll, had informed him that Dempsey would not protest. In any event, he supported the judge's and referee's opinion, that the delay was Dempsey's own fault.

HOCKEY.

THE LEINSTER SEASON.

The optimistic note struck at the annual meeting of the Leinster Branch a week back was shown to be well founded by the turn-out of the clubs for the initial practices of the season on Saturday last.

This, by the way, will open officially on Saturday, October 8th, and hon. secretaries are reminded that all entries for the Leagues should be in the hands of the League Secretary, F. H. Gardner, 8 Merrion View avenue, on or before Saturday next, October 1st.

The Branch Council will meet on Monday next, at 8 Merrion row, at 8 p.m., for the purpose of arranging fixtures.

Few grounds are yet in proper order, and will need careful attention during the next fortnight. Clubs generally report a good playing strength, and will be busily occupied team-building during the next ten days. Among those who held practices or trial games were: Railway Union, Three Rock Rovers, Pembroke Wanderers, Monkstown, and the newly-promoted Dalkey.

It is probable that a number of club games will be arranged for the coming week-end, and already Railway Union have four fixtures listed, first and second XI.'s against Dublin University, third against Civil Service, and the fourth against another new club this year—St. James's.

FAIRVIEW C.Y.M.S. H.C.

At the annual general meeting of Fairview C.Y.M.S. the following officers and committee were elected:—President, P. Golding; captain, P. O'Connor; hon. sec., J. J. Hogan. Committee—T. M'Grath, B. Drum and W. Sharkey. It was decided to enter a team in the Intermediate League for the coming season. Mr. T. P. Waters, who has acted as hon. secretary since the formation of the club in 1919, tendered his resignation, which was accepted with much regret.

Intending members are requested to make application to the Hon. Sec., 22a Melrose avenue, Fairview.

ULSTER SENIOR LEAGUE.

Antrim	4	Cliftonville	1
Banbridge	2	Hollywood	1
East Antrim	3	Lisnagarvey	1
South Antrim	1	North Down	1

HAMILTON PARK.

SELECTIONS.

Cinquefoil Nursery—Milanaise filly.
Ross Walter—North Riding.
Caledonian Hunt Cup—Bythorne.
Cadzow Selling—Naysan.
Rederech Selling—Kirkton Jean.
Avondale Plate—Front Row.

1.45—CINQUEFOIL NURSERY HANDICAP PLATE of 500 sovs. Two-year-olds. Second receives 20 sovs. and third 10 sovs. 1 m. 45 yds.

		st.	lb.
ROYAL BUZZARD (Mr. A. Hood) Peacock		8	10
WEE-PEI-FU (Ld. Lonsdale) R. Armstrong		8	6
MILANAISE F., by Tamar (Mrs. C. Rich) R. J. Colling		8	0
SQUARE LASS C., by Battle-axe (Miss A. Webster) McCormack		7	13
TYRANNESS C., by Essexford (Mr. C. Green) O'Sullivan		7	12
SETTLEMENT (Mr. G. Whitelaw) Whitelaw		7	11
SANDRO (Mr. James A. de Rothschild) Pratt		7	9
OSPOVAT (Mr. James A. de Rothschild) Pratt		7	5

(The above have arrived.)

WHIPPER SNAP (Ld. Lonsdale) R. Armstrong		9	0
HIGH SPIRITS (Ld. Derby) ...Frank Butters		8	0
FERSEN (Mr. G. Lambton) Frank Butters		7	12
GLENLOSSIE (Mr. R. Lumsden) ......Boyd		7	11
CROWDEN F., by Athlone (Mr. M. Constant) O'Sullivan		7	10
TIME FLIES C., by Santair (Sir J. Buchanan Jardine) ....Leach, sen.		7	10
STEETON (Col. B. C. Fairfax) ...J. Renwick		7	9

2.15—ROSS WELTER HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. Second receives 20 sovs. and third 10 sovs. 6 f.

	Age	st.	lb.
ERIZO (Mr. G. S. Whitelaw) (12lb. ex.) Whitelaw	5	13	0
BANTLING (Lord Durham) (7lb. ex.) Fk. Butters	3	12	5
LEMIN (Sir Charles Hyde) ....Scobie	a	11	8
THE OWLET (Mr. T. Queen) ...Thomson	a	11	8
TOO EAGER (Capt. A. S. Wilson) Hammett	a	11	7
AQUILON (Mr. R. C. Dawson) R. Dawson	a	11	7
PASOL (Mr. A. F. Thompson) Hardcastle	6	11	3
ROYAL AMBASSADOR (Mr. C. A. Cowie) Cowie	3	11	1
GREY HAWK (Mr. R. Dand) ......Dand	5	10	11
SONNY FITZ (Mr. G. Gunter) Gunter	3	10	10
PAPILLON (Capt. A. S. Wilson) Storie	5	10	7

(The above have arrived.)

MARTENAX (Sir E. Tate) (12lb. ex.) Peacock	5	13	11
FREE STATE (Miss Hollins)...R. Jones	6	11	11
MELANESIA (Ld. Derby) Frank Butters	3	11	11
NORTH RIDING (Mr. J. L. Dugdale) Peacock	a	11	10
RIPOLIN (Mr. J. G. Thompson) Peacock	4	11	9
IMPRESS (Capt. A. S. Wilson) ...Storie	5	11	7
GOLDEN OPTIC (Sir Lycett Green) R. Armstrong	4	11	1
ROMAN EMPIRE (Mr. T. Allan Stevens) Cobb	3	10	12
PARADONE (Mr. Marshall Field) Boyd-Rochfort	3	10	11
BRECKIA (Ld. Queenborough) Peacock	3	10	9
BELL ROCK (Mr. W. de Selincourt) G. Armstrong	3	10	9
SPRINGDALE (Mr. R. Lumsden) Boyd	a	10	8
BACHELOR'S LUCK (Mr. John Johnstone) ....Gemmell	3	10	7
COLINDALE (Mr. W. G. Mason) Binnie	a	10	7
GILLIAN (Mr. C. E. Howard) F. Armstrong	3	10	7
MARTIN (Mr. H. A. Brown) H. A. Brown	4	10	7
SHROUD (Mr. T. Auckland) F. Armstrong	3	10	7

2.45—CALEDONIAN HUNT CUP, a sweepstakes of 5 sovs. each, and 5 sovs. ex. for starters, with 800 sovs. added. Winner receives piece of plate and added money (less stake), and the balance to be divided—two-thirds to second and one-third to third. 1 m. 5 f.

	Age	st.	lb.
INVERSHIN (Mr. R. Walker)...C. Doyle	5	9	3
SPARTACUS (Lord Rosebery) J. Jarvis	4	9	3
FORTUNE OF WAR (Mrs D. Gardner) O'Sullivan	3	7	11
THE BEETLE (Mr. G. S. L. Whitelaw) Whitelaw	4	7	8
MARIO (H.H. Aga Khan) R. Dawson	3	7	6

(The above have arrived.)

DARK JAPAN (H.H. Aga Khan) R. Dawson	4	10	0
REVIEW ORDER (Ld. Barnby) Peacock	4	9	7
PONS ASINORUM (Mr. Sol Joel) Earl	5	9	7
HIGHBROW (Ld. Derby) Frank Butters	a	9	4
ATHOS (Capt. Riley Lord) ....Beatty	4	9	0
GRANDE VITESSE (Sir G. Bullough) J. Jarvis	3	8	4
SOSIE (Mrs. Rose Don) ......Thomson	a	8	4
FRIDOLINE (Ld. Rosebery) ...J. Jarvis	3	8	4
YOUNG MIDDLETON (Capt. A. Boyd-Rochfort) ......Boyd-Rochfort	3	8	4
BYTHORNE (Ld. Derby) Frank Butters	3	8	4
KINCHINJUNGA (Mr. H. C. Sutton) T. Waugh	3	8	2
THE BLADE (Mr. R. Baron) Peacock	3	8	2
MOUSME (Sir G. Bullough) J. Jarvis	3	7	13
BEAGLE (Ld. H. of Dalzell) Peacock	3	7	13
PRECEPTOR (Lord Zetland)...Dundas	3	7	11
CHUNKY (Capt. Riley Lord)...Beatty	3	7	8
HAPPY LIFE (Mr. A. McKinlay) Elsey	3	7	8
INVENTION (Mr. R. Walker)...C. Doyle	4	7	7
ST. SYLVESTRE (His Majesty) W. Jarvis	3	7	7
GIOVANNI (Mr. J. A. de Rothschild) Pratt	3	7	6
LEMINGTON (Sir J. Rutherford) R. Day	3	7	6
BUCHAN ARMS (Mr. D. L. Wilson) Wilmot	3	7	6
COMPOSURE (Ld. Derby) Frank Butters	3	7	5
LA DOUAIRIERE (H.H. Aga Khan) R. Dawson	3	7	3

3.15—CADZOW SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. 5 f.

	Age	st.	lb.
DIN O' WAR (Mr. R. Lumsden) J. Burns	a	9	0
TERTIUS (Mr. A. J. Shillingford) O'Sullivan	3	8	12
WEMBLEY TATTOO (Mr. Jas. Benson) Elsey	3	8	12
ARDSCULL (Mr. F. B. Rhodes)...Flynn	a	8	11
NAYSON (Mr. A. J. Shillingford) O'Sullivan	4	8	11
BATTERY SMOKE (Mr. H. Mollekin) D. Taylor	a	8	11
PERLE D'OR (Mr. C. A. Cowie)...Cowie	3	8	9
MISLEDA (Capt. A. S. Wilson)...Storie	3	8	9
SANS LE SOURIRE (Mr. J. McLean) McGuigan	2	7	5
BLACK MOLE (Mr. J. A. de Rothschild) Pratt	2	7	5
KIRKTON JEAN (Mr. G. Dodd) Thomson	2	7	5
DISCLOSURE G., by Essexford (Lord Lonsdale) R. Armstrong	2	7	5

3.45—REDERECH SELLING NURSERY HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. Two-year-olds. Second saves entrance. 5 f.

		st.	lb.
TEA TASTER (Mr. H. Morris) O'Sullivan		9	0
KIRKTON JEAN (Mr. G. Dodd) Thomson		8	7
FOREST BROOM (Col. B. C. Fairfax) J. Renwick		8	4
SARI (Mr. G. S. L. Whitelaw)...Whitelaw		8	4
FOUNTAIN BRIDGE (Mr. J. Drake) Drake		7	11

(The above have arrived.)

BRIERYSIDE (Mrs. D. Gardner) (10lb. ex.) J. Dawson		8	11
ADMIRABLE (Mrs. D. Gardner) O'Sullivan		8	6
SANS LE SOURIRE (Mr. J. McLean) McGuigan		8	5
CARTHGALE (Mr. J. McGuigan) McGuigan		8	4
MARCIA F., by Count Ross (Capt. A. Stanley Wilson) ....Storie		8	3
QUITA KOP (Mr. F. Straker) Bewicke		8	2
BOWLER (Mr. M. D. Peacock) ...Peacock		8	2
HAPPY MAID G., by King Sol (Mr. J. A. Campbell) ....Thomson		8	1
ENTHUSIASTIC POLLY (Mr. J. E. Drake) Drake		8	0

4.15—AVONDALE HANDICAP PLATE of 300 sovs. Second receives 30 sovs. and third 10 sovs. 1 m. 3 f.

	Age	st.	lb.
CARAMOND (Mrs. D. Gardner) (7lb. ex.) O. Bell	4	9	7
VOICE BOX (Sir Hugo Cunliffe-Owen) O. Bell	3	8	13
WHINPARK (Mrs. Rose Don) Thomson	5	8	12
CLATTER (Mr. Harcourt Johnstone) Wilmot	3	8	9
DARRAGH (Mr. T. Queen) ...Thomson	a	8	8
GOBHAN SAOR (Mr. H. A. Wilson) J. Wilson	5	8	6
BRUSHWOOD BOY (Mr. W. L. Christie) R. Armstrong	4	8	3
FRONT ROW (Mr. W. Webster) McCormack	6	7	10
DONAGHADEE (Comdr. E. W. B. Leake) J. Burns	5	7	9
FAIRHOLME (Sir Lycett Green) Hammett	3	7	6

(The above have arrived.)

NEY (Mr. W. Leslie) ......J. Dawson	5	8	11
PARK MILL (Capt. C. F. Elsey) Elsey	4	8	2
BEAGLE (Ld. Hamilton of Dalzell) Peacock	3	8	1
CLEAR DANCE (Mr. J. E. Drake) Drake	6	7	10
GOLDEN BAY (Ld. Lonsdale) R. Armstrong	3	7	10

ATHLETICS.

ST. ANDREW'S COLLEGE SPORTS

St. Andrew's College held their fifteenth annual sports on Saturday last at the College grounds, Donnybrook, before a large attendance. The track was well laid out, but owing to the frequent heavy showers it became almost impossible to run on. In fact, so bad did the ground become that the senior jumps had to be postponed.

The weather, however, did not damp the enthusiasm of the boys in any way, especially the juniors, who had given a very large entry. All the arrangements were excellent, a fact which was proved when the final event, despite the many interruptions, was finished at the scheduled time.

H. R. Davies was the outstanding competitor, winning the Senior 100 Yards Championship, the 120 Yards Handicap, the 220 Yards Handicap, the 440 Yards, and Putting the 12lb. Shot, while he was third in the Half-Mile Handicap. The prizes were distributed by Mrs. Bethal Solomons. Details:—

SENIOR EVENTS.

120 Yards Handicap—The following qualified for the final—W. Paterson, D. Stewart, J. Elder, F. Stewart, H. R. Davies, and H. E. Tinkler. Final—Davies, 1; Patterson, 2; D. Stewart, 3.

100 Yards Handicap—H. R. Davies, 1; W. Patterson, 2; H. E. Tinkler, 3. Time—11 3/5 secs.

Half-Mile Handicap—D. Stewart, 1; J. E. Price, 2; H. R. Davies, 3.

120 Yards Handicap—H. R. Davies, 1; W. Patterson, 2; D. Stewart, 3. Time—27 2/5 secs.

Old Boys 100 Yards—W. Beard, 1; D. M. Gray, 2; N. Coulson, 3. Time—11 1/5 secs.

440 Yards Handicap—H. R. Davies, 1; C. Patterson, 2; D. Stewart, 3. Time—64 2/5 secs.

One Mile Handicap—J. Kelleher, 1; L. Dowds, 2; J. E. Price, 3. Time—5 mins. 40 3/5 secs.

Putting the 12lb. Shot—H. R. Davies, 29ft. 5in., 1; R. Hamilton, 27ft. 2in., 2; D. Stewart, 25ft. 2in., 3.

JUNIOR EVENTS.

75 Yards Handicap (under 11)—The following qualified for the final—E. Mitchell, W. Arbuckle, W. Coveney, B. McBride, F. Wolfe, W. Seymour, J. Ellis, J. White, G. Smith, A. Sholdice, K. Donnelly, T. Buckley. Final—McBride, 1; Wolfe, 2; Mitchell, 3.

100 Yards (13-15)—The following qualified for the final—J. McConnell, S. Henchie, H. Earles, S. Citron, R. Gray, G. Graigie, L. Powell, and J. van Stockum. Final—Powell, 1; Citron, 2; Gray, 3.

100 Yards (12-13)—J. Mark, 1; H. Bowles, 2; D. Keatinge, 3.

100 Yards Handicap—The following qualified for the final—L. Powell, S. Henchie, S. Citron, H. Bowles, R. Gray, and E. Coleman. Final—Gray, 1; Powell, 2; Citron, 3.

220 Yards Handicap—The following qualified for the final—J. McConnell, L. Powell, S. Citron, R. Tully, R. Gray, J. Mark, E. Coleman, and J. van Stockum. Final—McConnell, 1; Citron, 2; Mark, 3.

50 Yards (under 8)—W. Brooks, 1; F. Saunders, 2; R. Ganly, 3.

75 Yards Rathgar Championship—T. Jackson, 1; S. Moore, 2; A. Sholdice, 3.

High Jump—R. Gray, 4ft. 6in., 1; T. Shepherd, 4ft. 5in., 2; H. Robinson, 3ft. 11in., 3.

Long Jump—R. Gray, 15ft. 11in., 1; D. Keatinge, 2; J. McConnell, 3.

Siamese Race—F. Tully and H. Robinson, 1.

Sack Race—J. Mathieson.

Mr. J. Burns's Facino (right) winning the Dargle Plate from Sir T. Dixon's Monta at Leopardstown.

GREYHOUND RACING.

"INCIDENTS" AT SHELBOURNE PARK.

BEADED BIDDY BEATEN.

That there is an immediate need for a complete set of rules to govern greyhound racing in Ireland was clearly demonstrated at Shelbourne Park on Saturday night, when a couple of incidents occurred which, but for the fact on the part of some of the officials and the police, might have had serious consequences.

The first of the incidents alluded to occurred in the final of the Civic Cup. Beaded Biddy, a strong favourite, was leading to the second turn, when she was savaged by Imperial Minnie, and the flag steward immediately signalled "No race," and after a consultation the Stewards decided to disqualify the offender from taking part in the re-run race. As it happened, Beaded Biddy won the race in which she was savaged, but in the re-run she was beaten by an outsider in Wise Joe. This led to an amount of dissatisfaction from a section of the popular enclosure, but everything would have ended there had not two competitors, Galbally Lass and Skeango, in the sixth race on the card, that the second semi-final of the Garry Cup, started to fight soon after they were released from the box. The spectators in the popular enclosure, apparently, expected that the blue flag would be hoisted signalling no race, but when the race was allowed to go on, and when the number of the winning dog, Gone for Sure, was hoisted, they gave vent to an angry outburst, and a section of the crowd on the far side of the ground jumped the railings and invaded the field. The situation for a time looked nasty, and it seemed as if the judge's box was going to be wrecked. The intervention and tact of the officials and police, however, averted further development of what might have been an ugly scene.

It was very unfortunate that such an incident should have occurred coming, as it did, in the last week of the season and after the sport had been conducted throughout in the most satisfactory manner. There seems to be an amount of misunderstanding regarding the rule governing "savaging" in a race, and until the interpretation of the rule is made perfectly clear there is always a likelihood of a repetition of Saturday night's scenes.

As to the racing, it was well up to the usual standard, and with four first favourites winning backers could have had little cause for complaint.

CIVIC CUP—For 54 all-ages (dogs and bitches). Winner, £100 and Cup; second, £30; third, £15; three dogs, £10 each; twelve dogs, £4 each.

FINAL—AFTER NO RACE.
Mr. J. Murray's f. d. WISE JOE (Again Victorious—Lazy Peggy) 1
Mr. H. Murphy's bd. d. SOUTHERN MELODY 2
Mr. M. O'Brien's bd. b. BEADED BIDDY...... 3
Also ran—Gips Next, and Catch me That Fellow.
Betting—3 to 1 on Beaded Biddy, 6 to 1 each agst. WISE JOE and Southern Melody, 100 to 8 Gips Next and Catch me That Fellow.
Won by three lengths; two lengths. Time—28 secs

CHAMPION HURDLE—For 33 all-ages (dogs). Winner, £50 and Cup; second, £20; two dogs, £10 each; four dogs, £5 each; eight dogs, £4 each.

SECOND ROUND—THIRD HEAT.
Mr. J. Doyle's bd. d. ALWAYS OUT (Let 'im Out—Merry Hylda) 1
Mr. G. Yeates's w. f. d. COLUMN DODGER ... 2
Mr. W. Dolan's bd. d. STONEY BROKE 3
Also ran—Drog.
Betting—5 to 4 on ALWAYS OUT, 5 to 4 agst. Column Dodger, 10 to 1 each Stoney Broke and Drog.
Won by eight lengths; three lengths. Time—29 4-5 secs.

FOURTH HEAT.
Mr. P. J. Creighton's bd. d. CORMORANT (Stormont—Ballyveney Maid) 1
Mr. F. Dillon's bd. d. GLENHUGH 2
Mrs. Collins's bd. d. KIDDIE 3
Also ran—Splonk.
Betting—5 to 4 on CORMORANT, 2 to 1 agst. Kiddie, 5 to 1 Splonk, 10 to 1 Glenhugh.
Won by six lengths; three lengths. Time—29 3-5 secs.

GARRY CUP—For 54 all-ages (bitches). Winner, £40 and Silver Cup; second, £15; third, £10; three dogs, £7 10s. each; twelve dogs, £2 each.

FIRST SEMI-FINAL.
Mr. V. Kidd's bd. d. KATISHA (Hidden Joke—Steam Ferry) 1
Mr. P. O'Hanlon's bd. d. HYPOCRITE 2
Mr. M. Keogh's w. f. b. LUCY WHITE 3
Also ran—Single Fare, Garadice Lass, Peg Slider.
Betting—5 to 4 agst. Peg Slider, 3 to 1 Hypocrite, 4 to 1 Garadice Lass, 5 to 1 KATISHA, 7 to 1 Lucy White, 10 to 1 Single Fare.
Won by one length; half a length. Time—28 2-5 secs

SECOND SEMI-FINAL.
Mr. J. McElligott's bd. b. GONE FOR SURE (Garmonicon—To Be Sure) 1
Miss D. Harris's r. or f. b. SKEAGH 2
Mr. A. Murray's f. b. GOODNIGHT KISS 3
Also ran—Galbally Lass, Spring Daisy, Skeango.
Betting—6 to 4 agst. GONE FOR SURE, 3 to 1 each Galbally Lass and Skeagh, 7 to 1 Goodnight Kiss, 10 to 1 Spring Daisy and Skeango.
Won by three lengths; two lengths. Time—28 2-5 secs

THIRD SEMI-FINAL.
Mr. G. Irwin's w. f. b. LITTLE BIDDY FLYNN (Harmonicon—Wee Molly) 1
Mr. Lawlor's LOUGH BROON 2
Mr. E. Cronin's w. and bd. b. RAVING LASS 3
Also ran—Denny's Pride, Camp Girl, Sawdust.
Betting—6 to 4 agst. Lough Broom, 3 to 1 LITTLE BIDDY FLYNN, 7 to 2 Denny's Pride, 100 to 12 Raving Lass, Camp Girl and Sawdust.
Won by three lengths; half a length. Time—29 secs.

ALL IRELAND STAKE — Winner, £10; second, £3.
Mr. T. B. Sills's w. f. b. BLUEBERG (Commandant Pearse—Follow me Lads) 1
Miss A. Mullins's bd. d. NUFF SAID 2
Mr J. Lynch's bd. d. FAR FETCHED 3
Also ran—Towney, Wild Paddy, Ardagh Boy.
Betting—5 to 4 agst. Far Fetched, 5 to 1 each Ardagh and Nuff Said, 6 to 1 Towney, 10 to 1 each BLUEBERG and Wild Paddy.
Won by a head; half a length. Time 29 2-5 secs.

AN OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

As some doubt exists as to the powers of the Supervisory Steward of Racing (or Flag Steward), the following official statement has been issued in connection with the occurrence at Shelbourne Park on last Saturday night:—

"The Steward has been granted discretionary powers as to when he should declare a race 'no race.' During the Civic Cup final on Saturday night the Supervisory Steward considered that Imperial Minnie had so interfered with two or three runners and destroyed their chances, and immediately the savaging started he raised the flag.

"In the sixth race another incident occurred that was taken exception to by a section of the public. When the dogs were released for this race two stopped at that part of the track where the 'hare' escapes (about eighty yards from the starting box), and did not make any effort to continue in the race, but started to fight. They were the last pair at this stage, and thereafter made no effort to continue, but fought on the exact spot where they stopped until the other dogs had finished.

"There was obviously no necessity to declare this particular event 'no race,' as the two dogs concerned did not interfere with any of the other four competitors.

"The Supervisory Steward of Racing is an independent person, and has no connection with any other official on the grounds.

"The management hope the public will co-operate with them in their endeavours to keep the sport clean, and will assist in preventing a recurrence of the unseemly incident."

TO-NIGHT'S PROGRAMME.

8.0—THE STANLY JOHNSTON CUP. For 24 bitches that have run at Shelbourne Park and have never been placed first or second. Winner, £36 and Cup, presented by Messrs. Stanly Johnston, Belfast; second, £15; third and 4th, £8 each; four dogs, £3 each.

FIRST HEAT.
Mr. J. Hughes's HIGH FORCE.
Mr. W. Broe's LIAM'S CHOICE.
Mr. P. J. Byrne's MOUNTAIN SLIDER.
Mr. McElligott's MEMORIES OF HOME.
Mr. J. Barrett's BIT OF ROCK.
Mr. C. Coffey's WYANDOTTE.

8.20—THE McCALLEN CUP. For 24 dogs that have run at Shelbourne Park, and never been placed first or second. Winner, £40 and Cup, presented by Messrs. McCallen, Holywood Co. Down; second, £15; third and fourth, £10 each; four dogs, £4 each.

FIRST HEAT.
Miss N. Walshe's WHITE FOX.
Mr. R. Moore's MONEY CHANGER.
Mr. D. Creane's BALLYHEIGUE BOY.
Mr. D. Brennan's GIPSFIELD.
Mr. D. Martin's FAIR TRAVELLER.
Mr. C. Kiernan's MANY CHEERS.

8.40—CHAMPION HURDLE RACE. For 33 all-ages (dogs). Winner, £50 and Cup; second, £20; third and fourth, £10 each; four dogs, £6 each; eight dogs, £4 each. First and second in semi-finals to run in final on Wednesday night.

FIRST SEMI-FINAL.
Mr. J. Mathew's STEPHEN'S CHOICE.
Mr. Maxwell Arnott's VIRGINIAN.
Mr. Maxwell Arnott's NOBLE GRECIAN.
Mr. Doyle's OUTRUNNER.

9.0—THE GARRY CUP. For 54 all-aged bitches. Winner, £40 and Silver Cup; second, £15; third, £10; three dogs, £7 10/- each; twelve dogs, £2 each.

FINAL.
Mr. V. Kidd's KATISHA.
Mr. P. O'Hanlon's HYPOCRITE.
Miss Doherty Harris's SKEAGH.
Mr. McElligott's GONE FOR SURE.
Mr. G. Irwin's LITTLE BIDDY FLYNN.
Mr. J. Lawlor's LOUGHBROWN.

9.15—STANLY JOHNSTON CUP. SECOND HEAT.
Mr. M. O'Mahony's LITTLE VERA.
Mr. P. J. McNamara's BLUE STEEPLE.
Mr. M. Murphy's O SHE STROLLS.
Miss Connolly's SHE PARTED.
Mr. R. Paynten's YOUR CHANGE.
Mr. P. Rickard's FLYING LUCY.

9.30—CHAMPION HURDLE RACE. SECOND SEMI-FINAL.
Mr. Doyle's ALWAYS OUT.
Mr. G. Yeates's COLUMN DODGER.
Mr. P. J. Creighton's CORMORANT.
Mr. F. Dillon's GLENHUGH.

9.45—THE McCALLEN CUP. SECOND HEAT.
Mr. M. O'Connell's CHAMPAGNE CHARLIE.
Miss A. Walsh's ARDAGH BOY.
Mr. B. Casey's MUSICAL LAD.
Mr. W. Ryan's C COMPANY.
Mr. P. Martin's INCHIGILL.
Mr. Michael Doody's NEWPARK.

FORM.

FIRST RACE—3 0 0 High Force. Unplaced to Broomfield Lad (32 2-5 secs.), June 2 (H.). 0 3 0 Liam's Choice. See Hypocrite. Beaten by Wish for Speed (28 2-5 secs.) and Boyne Swallow Sept. 7 (F.). 0 0 Mountain Slider. Unplaced to Always Out (30 secs.), Sept. 7 (H.). 0 Memories of Home. See Skeagh. 0 Bit of Rock. See Skeagh. 0 3 Wynedott. Beaten by Denny's Pride 28 4-5 secs.) and Boyne Swallow, Sept. 12 (F.).

SECOND RACE—0 White Fox. Unplaced to Wise Joe (28 2-5 secs.), Sept. 21 (F.). 0 Money Changer. Unplaced to Beaded Biddy (28 1-5 secs., Sept. 21 (F.). 0 0 Ballyheigue Boy. Unplaced to Golden Furze (29 4-5 secs.), Sept. 20 (F.). Unplaced to Shooting Forth (28 1-5 secs.), Sept. 19 (F.). 3 Gipsfield. Beaten by Cassino (28 3-5 secs.) and Boreclog, Sept. 5 (F.). 3 0 Fair Traveller. Unplaced to Brogue Lane (28 2-5 secs.), Aug. 8 (F.). 0 Many Cheers. Unplaced to Captain Dick (29 secs.), Sept. 12 (F.).

THIRD RACE—3 1 1 Stephen's Choice. Scored (29 secs.) from Virginian, Sept. 23 (H.); scored (29 4-5 secs.) from Errewboy, Sept. 19 (H.). 3 1 2 Virginian. See Stephen's Choice. Beaten by Cheap Trip (32 secs.), Sept. 19 (H.). 3 2 1 Noble Grecian. Scored (29 1-5 secs.) from Outrunner, Sept. 23 (H.). See Outrunner. 1 1 2 Outrunner. See Noble Grecian. Scored (28 3-5 secs.) from Noble Grecian, Sept. 17 (H.).

FOURTH RACE—1 1 Katisha. Scored (28 2-5 secs.) from Hypocrite, Sept. 24 (F.); scored (29 secs.) from Single Fare, Sept. 17 (F.). 2 2 2 Hypocrite. See Katisha. Beaten by Peg Slider (28 3-5 secs.), with Liam's Choice unplaced, Sept 19 (F.). 1 2 Skeagh. See Gone for Sure. Scored (29 secs.) from Spring Daisy and Burnem's Girl, with Bit of Rock and Memories of Home also ran, Sept. 20 (F.). 1 1 Gone for Sure. Scored from Skeagh, Sept. 24 (F.). See Blue Steeple. 3 2 1 Little Biddy Flynn. Scored (28 2-5 secs.) from Lough Broom, Sept. 24 (F.); beaten by Denny's Pride (28 3-5 secs.), Sept. 23 (F.). 2 Lough Broom. See Little Biddy Flynn.

FIFTH RACE—0 Little Vera. Unplaced to Gilligan's Daughter (29 4-5 secs.), Aug. 17 (F.); unplaced to Misdeal (29 4-5 secs.), Aug. 1 (F.). 0 Blue Steeple. Unplaced to Gone for Sure (29 secs.), Sept. 21 (F.). 3 O She Strolls. Beaten by Wee Lil (29 4-5 secs.) and Miss Kashmir, July 11 (F.). 0 She Parted. Unplaced to Nancy Witch (29 1-5 secs.), June 29 (F.). 0 Your Change. Unplaced to Dancosi (29 4-5 secs.), Sept. 2 (F.). 0 Flying Lucy. Unplaced to Black Dot (29 secs.), Aug. 29 (F.).

SIXTH RACE—2 1 1 Always Out. Scored (29 2-5 secs.) from Column Dodger, Sept. 24 (H.); scored (30 1-5 secs.) from Stoney Broke, Sept. 20 (H.). 1 2 Column Dodger. See Always Out. Scored (31 secs.) from Drog, Sept. 20 (F.). 1 Cormorant. Scored (29 secs.) from Glenhugh, Sept. 24 (H.). 1 1 2 Glenhugh. See Cormorant. Beaten by Blackfellow (31 1-5 secs.), Sept. 23 (H.).

SEVENTH RACE — 3 Champagne Charlie. Beaten by Half a Chance (28 2-5 secs.) and Old Bill, Sept. 9 (F.). 0 Ardagh Boy. Unplaced to Charming Dan (29 secs.), Sept. 20 (F.). 0 C. Coy. Unplaced to Duleek Lad (29 secs.), July 6 (F.). 0 Musical Lad. Unplaced to Bluehill Bill (29 secs.), Sept. 24 (F.). 0 Inchigill. Unplaced to Over the Dee (29 secs.), July 25 (F.). 3 Newpark. Beaten by Hermitage Buffer (28 4-5 secs.) and Birthday Present, Sept. 7 (F.), Sept. 20 (F.).

GAELIC GAMES.

ALL-IRELAND FINAL.

KILDARE'S NARROW VICTORY.

(BY PAT'O.)

Thirty thousand spectators had a satisfying exhibition of the Gaelic football code yesterday. So close was the tackling throughout that neither Kildare nor Kerry was allowed develop their individual schemes. Kildare's hand-passing never reached its usual effectiveness. When Kerry tried vigour they found this 1927 Kildare team sound in every department. Let it be said at once that this was a healthy game, played from end to end in a good spirit. Had the posts not stopped that ball of Sheehy's a draw might have resulted. Right. This would be an unfair indication. As indicated in this column, Kildare held the better hand through the hour. Kildare were superior. I must acknowledge that the young faculty of Kerry football surprised me in the first half. Yet it was only a question of time when Kildare's evenness in movement would assert itself. Kildare on yesterday's football, would have been unlucky to draw—a decision which many people believed a fair index of the play.

Kerry's back line saved Munster from a heavy defeat. There Barrett was outstanding, and, though he made serious mistakes in wandering outside his area, he saved Kerry repeatedly. Kildare played better football. They have won the championship decisively. At many stages of the game a draw was likely, but Gaelic games' results usually come to the deserved winners. Never was a victory more richly deserved than Kildare's.

Kerry played against the sun in the first half. Exchanges were even between Stack and Brosnan on one side, and Loughlan and Gannon on the other. Play was confined to midfield, yet Kerry's fielding suggested attack. Following ten minutes' fast play, Sheehy drove down to his forwards, and Bailey coming in snapped the ball up and drove across with a delightful shot, giving Kerry the lead. Kildare attacked. They controlled every movement, and assailed Kerry's posts again and again.

Driving home attack after attack, they found Kerry's back line sound. Barrett was the outstanding man at this stage. He stood up to continued assaults. He left his place to clear when he should have remained close to his goal. Barrett's tactics were unorthodox, yet they were successful, and he continued to break up Kildare attacks. Sheehy fed Bailey, who was playing in a new position, and the Tralee man crossed in to score one of his best points. At the half-hour Kerry led by two points, and facing wind and sun Kildare were set a serious proposition:—
Kerry—3 points.
Kildare—1 point.

Opening very quickly in the second half, Kildare attacked. Doyle was moving freely at this stage, and his point from a free set Kildare within a point of the leaders. Soon Kildare's centre field developed. Gannon and Loughlan were playing good football, and a neat pass set the teams level. Keogh, playing left wing for Kildare, was responsible. Kerry played well for five minutes, when Walsh in Kildare's goal brought off some fine clearances.

Racing up on Kildare's right Curtis got clear, and his screw-kick for a point was a feature of the second half. Kildare were now masters of the situation. During the closing stages they attacked repeatedly. Kerry's defence was sound, and Barrett played his best game to the end. Kildare's sound football and good wing work won a game where they were at all times superior.

Final scores:—
Kildare—5 points.
Kerry—3 points.

MERRION CRICKET CLUB.

FIRST XI. AVERAGES, 1927.

Matches played, 24; won, 6; lost, 5; drawn, 11; tie, 2.

BATTING.

	Inns.	Runs.	Most in Inns.	Times not out.	Aver.
C. J. Little	20	601	104*	2	33.39
J. A. O'Donnell	22	521	75	2	26.05
W. V. Rumney	15	204	37*	4	18.55
S. T. Radcliffe	7	111	68	1	18.50
P. B. Kenny	12	178	77	1	17.80
P. A. Thornton	6	93	37	0	15.50
R. F. McGarrigle	6	63	26	0	9.75
J. A. Stokes	10	78	20	2	9.11
E. W. Morris	10	82	31	1	6.67
R. H. Shortt	7	40	18	1	6.10
A. J. Keegan	10	61	37	0	6.10
H. G. Cuthbert	9	42	17	2	6.00

*Not out.

BOWLING.

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Avge.
C. J. Little	269.9	78	576	57	10.11
P. A. M. Thornton	102	31	212	23	9.21
R. H. Shortt	145.2	25	444	39	11.38
H. G. Cuthbert	64.9	16	224	15	14.93

RUGBY.

OPENING DUBLIN GAMES.

LANSDOWNE AND WANDERERS START WELL.

WARATAHS STILL WINNING.

The Rugby season in Leinster was opened on Saturday under very favourable circumstances, the weather, despite a heavy shower before the hour of starting, holding up well throughout the period the various games were in progress. Six of the senior clubs were engaged, and, though none of the matches provided anything in the way of outstanding play, the form was quite good for the start of the season, and points to the clubs engaged having a most successful time ahead. The cup holders, Lansdowne, turning out a strong side, had a decisive victory over Palmerston at Clonskeagh. Wanderers gave an impressive display against Old Wesley, and turned a one point deficit at the interval into a victory by 24 points to 9. Blackrock College surprised Bective Rangers, and, in a match in which the Rangers had more of the play than the score indicates, won by 9 points to 3. Many of the Junior and Minor League clubs were also engaged.

The visiting New South Wales team gave another impressive display when defeating Neath and Aberavon, at Neath, by 24 points to 5. The form of the Waratahs so far has been distinctly good, and their first international match against Ireland at Lansdowne road, on November 12th, will be the event of outstanding interest in the first half of the season.

LANSDOWNE'S PROMISING START.

PALMERSTON BEATEN POINTLESS.

Palmerston and Lansdowne made their first appearance of the season at Clonskeagh on Saturday. The visitors were at strength, except that J. D Rooney replaced J. C. Bermingham in the pack, but Palmerston were without their full-back, V. Kirwan, who was suffering from a strained leg; their fast wing, Wall, injured in practice; Armstrong and F. Hussey. Several heavy showers just before the start made the grassy pitch sodden and slippery, and, with a greasy ball, back play was at a discount.

Lansdowne crossed the home line several times, and, converting two of the tries, won by 25 points clear; but Palmerston were worth a couple of scores, and were unlucky to have a try disallowed. The play was mainly of the forward order, and by no means as one-sided as the score would indicate, for the Palmerston forwards stood up well to their heavier opponents, and it was only in the last twenty minutes, when the home captain, Wilson, was off the field injured for some time, that Lansdowne took the upper hand. Playing down-hill, with the wind, Lansdowne only scored twice in the first half, Lightfoot, after ten minutes, getting over at the right, Pike failing with the kick, and Hogan scoring five minutes before the interval, Crawford failing to add the points. In this period Wellwood was almost over for Palmerston, and Cathcart missed an easy penalty goal.

Fifteen minutes had gone in the second half before Lightfoot added Lansdowne's third try, Davy barely missing converting from the touch-line. Five minutes later Arigho, following an intercept by Crowe, scored, Davy's kick falling short. Lansdowne dominated the play in the last five minutes. Crowe, who had gone to centre, scoring behind the posts, for Hogan to convert, as he did soon after when Lightfoot got over cleverly. Just on no-side O'Reilly slipped over near the posts, but Hogan's kick failed.

For the winners Crawford, at back, was safe, but his kicking was moderate. The three-quarters all played well and got in a few nice combined movements. Crowe was at sea on the left wing in the first half, but did well at centre afterwards. Lightfoot, too, showed dash, and Hogan and Arigho were clever. O'Reilly and Davy did not combine, but the latter was most resourceful and kicked a fine length. Cullen, McEnery, Hanrahan and T. O. Pike were the best of the forwards. For Palmerston, E. Thompson was sound at back. The three-quarters were good individually, Bates and E. Kirwan doing best. F. Hussey and Hendrick worked hard at half, and the best of the forwards were Wilson, Cathcart, Hall and T. Thompson. Result:—
Lansdowne—2 goals 5 tries (25 points).
Palmerston—Nil.

Teams:—
Palmerston—E. Thompson; J. E. Bates, E. Wellwood, E. N. Kirwan, K. C. Cahill; F. P. Hussey, V. Hendrick; J. R. Y. Wilson, C. M. Hill, J. C. Cathcart, J. E. Kean, W. A. Ruddell, T. A. Thompson, F. R. Willis, J. Andrews.
Lansdowne—W. E. Crawford; E. J. Lightfoot, J. E. Arigho, G. P. S. Hogan, M. Crowe; E. O. Davy, J. J. O'Reilly; J. F. Cullen, E. F. Hanrahan, J. E. McEnery, J. McLelland, T. O. Pike, W. Rossiter, J. S. Synge, J. D. Rooney.
Referee—Mr. A. Boland.

WANDERERS' SECOND HALF RALLY.

OLD WESLEY FORWARDS FAIL TO STAY.

Though led by six points to five at the interval, a splendid recovery by Wanderers in the second half enabled them to gain a decisive victory over Old Wesley in the opening match of the season at Lansdowne road on Saturday by 4 goals (1 penalty) and 2 tries (24 points) to 2 penalty goals and 1 try (9 points). It was a most auspicious start by the home side, and their display, which was a very impressive one, augurs well for their prospects throughout the season. Still the game was not quite as one-sided as the score would indicate, and the Wesleyans were a decidedly unlucky side not to have held a bigger lead at half-time.

During the opening period the Donnybrook combination had much the better of the play, and, after Young had given them the lead with a penalty goal for an infringement for "feet up" five minutes from the start, they put up a sustained attack, and both Holland and Richardson got over the line from bouts of passing, only to lose the ball. During this period Wanderers were hard pressed, and midways through the half Young put the visitors further ahead with another penalty goal. Then the game underwent a change. Murray, who had been making many attempts to open up, but was generally frustrated by Young, at last got away and Reilly, Ellis and Fisher advanced matters to beyond the centre. Then Peyton got a pass from Murray and cut through before passing to Beere, who paved the way for Keegan to score a try, which Kennedy converted.

The second half was of a very one-sided nature, Wanderers predominating matters practically all the time. Early on Potterton got over for a clever try, which Kennedy converted, and a few minutes later the latter kicked a penalty goal. An attack by Wesley culminated in Willoughby scoring an unconverted try, but Wanderers quickly returned to the attack and tries were scored in quick succession by Murphy, Beere and Ellis, Kennedy converting that registered by the first-named.

Considering the early stage of the season, both sides showed marked fitness and played right good football. The winners, who were without J. D. Clinch, had the smarter pack, and in this department they were best represented by Reilly, Potterton and Fisher. Murray played a fine game at scrum half, and had a very promising partner in Peyton, who should make a really good substitute for Rose, who will not be available this season. Keegan and Murphy both played well in the three-quarter line, Kennedy gave a right good display at full back, his kicking being particularly good.

On the Wesley side Smith, Richardson, Young, Love, Ruttle and Prim were the most prominent players. Owing to the international pitch being reserved for the Military Tattoo, the match was played on the No. 2 ground, behind the new stand. Result:—
Wanderers—4 goals (1 penalty) 2 tries (24 points).
Old Wesley—2 penalty goals 1 try (9 points).

The teams were:—
Wanderers—D. Kennedy (capt.); T. Murphy, J. T. Keegan, S. Beere, J. H. Morton; P. Murray, H. N. Peyton; J. Carroll, B. C. Ellis, A. J. Fisher, P. Freer, L. Keatinge, H. N. Patterson, J. K. Reilly, D. T. Young.
Old Wesley—A. C. McGowan; V. K. Bailey, L. Richardson, W. M. Smith, E. O. Holland; G. J. Young, J. Willoughby; J. D. Seymour, D. C. Fitzpatrick, H. S. Ruttle, A. W. Love, H. D. Prim, B. W. Massey, D. Towers, M. J. Maher.
Referee—Mr. W. L. Freeman (Clontarf).

BLACKROCK BACKS COMBINE WELL.

BECTIVE BEATEN BY 6 POINTS.

Bective Rangers and Blackrock College played their opening match at Donnybrook on Saturday, the honours of the engagement going to the College team, which won by 3 tries to a penalty goal—9 points to 3. There were two or three heavy showers shortly before the game began, but, fortunately, the rest of the afternoon was all that could be desired. With such an early start and so little preliminary practice, it was not to be expected that either side would show anything like settled form; but the game was quite a fair one for the first of the fixtures, and was played at a brisk pace to the finish.

There was not much between the teams, despite the points, Bective were the more successful in getting the ball in the scrummages; but Blackrock seemed to have arrived at a better understanding among their backs, and, with a bit of luck, turned their fewer chances to winning account. McMullan, who worked the scrums instead of figuring on the wing, played a leading part in the attacks and combined well with Fullen. The three-quarter line is now without Crowe, who has joined Lansdowne, while Towers was on the wing, instead of McMullan. The quartet combined well, and gave a generally useful account of itself. Willis, at full, played one of his best games. He fielded and kicked well, and showed an improved sense of position that worked out in an increased security of the side. Keogh, Quinlivan, and J. Gleeson were, perhaps, the best of a useful set of forwards.

For Bective, Ballagh was the best of the three-quarters, Arigho worked the scrums smartly, and M. Sheehan put in some useful work at out-half. Farrell, looking very fit after his Argentine trip, was the best forward on the ground, and Deering and J. Sheehan were also noticeably good.

Bective had the balance of play in the opening half, the game being mostly slow in getting rid of the ball. McMullan was very smartly on it, and Early on, however, Moran being slow in getting rid dribbled away to score an unconverted try. Rather more than half-way through the period, with Bective pressing on the line, McMullan was penalised for picking out of the scrum, and Farrell landed a neat goal, the points being level at the interval.

Blackrock had more territorially of the second half. Early on a capital passing bout by M. Sheehan, O'Donnell, Ballagh, and O'Connor all but gave Bective a score, but touch in goal spoiled. Later on Deering headed a fine forward rush, but knocked-on in attempting to pick up at the line, and this was the last of Bective's likely movements. Blackrock also had two chances, and scored off both of them, Vaughan getting the first try from a scrummage near the line, and Kearney the second similarly, but neither Fullen nor Towers could make the goals. Result:—
Blackrock College—3 tries (9 points).
Bective Rangers—1 penalty goal (3 points).

Teams.—Bective Rangers—D. Moran; D. O'Connor, S. V. Ballagh, J. O'Donnell, J. J. Fitzsimons; J. Arigho, M. Sheehan; J. L. Farrell (captain), J. McMurrough, M. Deering, J. J. Sheehan, P. Little, J. J. Fitzsimons, G. Higginbotham, K. Power.
Blackrock College—E. B. Willis; L. D. Stanley, J. Devenish, M. Quinn, R. B. Towers, F. Fullen, L. McMullan; S. Keogh, T. Quinlivan, M. Vaughan, J. Kearney, J. Gleeson, E. Maguire, M. Gleeson, F. O'Reilly.
Referee—Major M. A. O'Connor.

GARRYOWEN DEFEAT BOHEMIANS.

Garryowen defeated Bohemians by one goal off a try in the Munster Senior League at Limerick on Saturday. The weather and pitch were the best for good football, but local rivalry was too keen to allow of its development. The first half arrived without a score. Midway through the second Garryowen, who then held the advantage, opened up a good movement, and passing amongst the backs resulted in O'Connor scoring a try, Walsh converted. Play was unusually vigorous towards the close, and the referee had to order a player from each side off. Result:—
Garryowen—1 goal (5 points).
Bohemians—Nil.

BALBRIGGAN CLUB.

The second annual general meeting of the club was held in the Carnegie Library, Balbriggan, when the following officers were elected for the coming season:—Patron, Lewis Whyte; President, George Hamlet; Vice-Presidents, J. Bingham, P. Daly, J. McGowan, W. E. Cox, E. J. Fitzgerald, J. W. Burne, Dr. Lynch, Captain Bonar, F. Murdock (senior), A. Reynolds, J. J. Patton, John Derham; Hon. Secretary, J. W. Burne, Brecan House, Balbriggan; Hon. Treasurer, W. F. Cumiskey; captain of 1st XV., Dr. P. McGowan; vice-captain, F. Larkin; committee—Dr. P. McGowan, P. Larkin, Dr. Lynch, W. F. Cumiskey, J. W. Burne; representative on Leinster Union, J. W. Burne.

The 2nd XV. have some dates still open. For particulars apply to the Secretary, J. W. Burne.

ONE POINT DECIDES MUNSTER LEAGUE MATCH.

In a keenly contested game at the Mardyke, Cork, on last Saturday, Sunday's Well defeated Dolphin by one dropped goal to one try in the Munster Senior League. Dolphin, whose side included only six of last year's senior fifteen, had perhaps the better of matters, and Sunday's Well were on the defensive almost throughout the entire first half. In the second period, however, after Dolphin had lost their scrum half, J. O'Neill, owing to injuries, Sunday's Well had a sustained period of attack, but good defence work by G. J. Willis, F. Williamson and P. Hickey, who were the more prominent members of the back division, kept them from scoring. On the pack Dolphin were best served by C. J. Hanrahan, J. C. Howard and R. May. The Sunday's Well outsides were inferior to their opponents and lacked cohesion, G. Barry being the outstanding member of the line. Of a hard-working pack, H. Donegan, S. Coughlan and J. Lyons were the most prominent in the loose. In the first half G. Barry dropped a goal for Sunday's Well, and after Williamson had made several good efforts to score for Dolphin, P. Heffernan was successful in forcing his way over for a grand try at the corner. There was no scoring in the second half. Result:—
Sunday's Well—1 dropped goal (4 points)
Dolphin—1 try (3 points)

NORTHERN SEASON OPENS.

ANOTHER HEWITT IN THE FIELD

The Northern season opened on Saturday with two games in the Club Championship, one at Belfast and the other at Lurgan. In the latter game Instonians gave evidence of their strength by running up a big score, and when they get Frank Hewitt into the side they will be extremely difficult to hold. His brother, H. C., was a prominent figure at Lurgan; but the champions gave a finished display all round. Soon after the start R. O. M'Clenahan ran clean through the home defence, and Hewitt later cut out a fine opening for T. G. Ward to score a third score, and kicked a goal, romped over for a third score, while A. C. Douglas the other tries being converted by Hewitt. In the second half tries were obtained by M'Clenahan, Douglas, L. C. Mayne, J. Halliday and Hewitt. The last named also dropped a goal and converted one of the tries, while D. R. Murray converted another, the final score being:—
Instonians—6 goals (1 dropped) 3 tries (38 pts.)
Lurgan—Nil.

NORTH DEFEAT COLLEGIANS.

North of Ireland and Collegians showed changes on their teams from last season when they turned out at Deramore, the most notable absentee from the visiting side being G. V. Stephenson. J. W. Galloway and H. M'Kee, who last year played for Collegians, were in the ranks of their opponents on this occasion, and Galloway scored against his old colleagues after five minutes. The North backs shaped better than those on the other side, who, however, improved as the game progressed. Galloway, after being held up a few yards from the Collegians' line, got possession from a loose scrum, and went over for his second try, neither of which was converted. Playing well in the loose, the Collegians' forwards gave the visiting defence some anxiety in the early stages of the second half, but the visitors' backs were the more dangerous, B. A. Barr showing a fine turn of speed on the wing. It was the latter who scored the only try of this period, and as it was not converted the result was:—
N.I.F.C.—3 tries (9 points).
Collegians—Nil.

NEW SOUTH WALES' TOUR.

NEATH AND ABERAVON (5) V. NEW SOUTH WALES (24).

Engaging in their third match of the tour, New South Wales XV. gained another victory in handsome fashion, defeating a combined team drawn from the Neath and Aberavon clubs, by 3 placed goals, 2 penalty goals and a try to a placed goal. The match was played on the ground of the Aberavon Club, and, although showery weather prevailed, 12,000 people assembled and saw some bright, open football. Changes were made on both sides, Owen and Williams being at half-back for the Welsh Clubs, while S. C. King came into the tourists' three-quarter line in place of A. C. Wallace.

For some time after the start the play proceeded on fairly even lines, but the New South Wales men settled down to a better combined game much quicker than did their opponents. They handled well and ran strongly, and when at length they were awarded a penalty kick Lawton placed a goal. The home side held their own in the scrummages, and were just as good in the line-out, but they were neither so fast nor so clever behind the scrum as the New South Wales men. Before half-time Lawton kicked another penalty goal to give the Waratahs a lead of six points.

They went off at a rare pace in the second half, but capital passing on the part of the home backs led to a try being scored by Dan Jones, and Jeremy placed a goal. After that the New South Wales XV. exercised a pronounced superiority. Towers scored a try, which Lawton converted, and a little later Lawton was once more successful with his kick from a try by Thorn. There came one more period of pressure by Aberavon and Neath, but Towers brought off a fine run to score another try for the visitors, and this time the ball struck the upright and bounced back. Near the end Tancred put on a further try, and Lawton kicked his fifth goal of the match.

SATURDAY'S RESULTS.

LEINSTER SENIOR MATCHES.

	Points.		Points.
Wanderers	24	Old Wesley	9
Lansdowne	25	Palmerston	0
Blackrock College	9	Bective Rangers	3

MUNSTER SENIOR LEAGUE.

Sunday's Well	4	Dolphin	3
Garryowen	5	Bohemians	0

ULSTER CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP.

Instonians	38	Lurgan	0
North	9	Collegians	0

LEINSTER JUNIOR MATCHES.

Malahide	10	Palmerston 2nd	6
Wanderers 2nd	3	Old Wesley 2nd	0
Lansdowne 2nd	14	Imperial Tobacco Co.	0
Belvedere College (S.C.T.)	6	Mountjoy School (S.C.T.)	5
Mountjoy School (J.C.T.)	36	Belvedere College (J.C.T.)	0
Blackrock Coll. 3rd	13	Bective Rangers 3rd	6
Wanderers 3rd	8	Old Wesley 3rd	0
Belvedere Coll. 2nd	31	King's Hospital 2nd	8
Lansdowne 3rd	34	Imper Tob. Co. 2nd	4
Civil Service 2nd	6	Y.M.C.A.	3
Palmerston 3rd	6	Malahide 2nd	5

ULSTER JUNIOR CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP.

Donaghadee	6	Collegians 2nd	3
Dungannon	10	Instonians 2nd	0
Ballymena	23	Larne	0
Portadown	8	Lurgan 2nd	0

FRIENDLY.

Bangor	19	Armagh	3

CROSS-CHANNEL RESULTS.

RUGBY UNION.

	Points.		Points.
Aberavon and Neath	5	New South Wales	24

CLUB MATCHES.

Blackheath	8	U. Ser. (Portsmouth)	13
Guy's Hospital	3	Catford Bridge	6
Harlequins	3	Rosslyn Park	6
London Scottish	11	R.M.A.	21
Old Merchant Taylors	12	St. Thomas' Hospital	0
Richmond	14	Old Leysians	6
St. Bart.'s Hospital	9	Old Paulines	6
Bath	21	Old Alleynians	5
Birkenhead Park	6	Blackheath	5
Bristol	5	Old Blues	3
Coventry	22	Bridgwater Albion	0
Gloucester	14	Moseley	6
Llanelly	20	Pontypool	5
Leicester	14	Plymouth Albion	6
Manchester	3	Bradford	17
Newport	11	Abertillery	3
Northampton	21	Torquay Athletic	0
Redruth	21	U. Ser. (Devonport)	3
Swansea	8	Cardiff	16
Heriotonians	3	Hawick	3
Selkirk	0	Glasgow Academicals	11
Liverpool	6	Northern	8
Woodford	5	Old Haileyburians	14
Abercarn	16	Cross Keys	3
London Welsh	6	Old Dunstonians	3
Jedforest	6	Glasgow High School	33

NORTHERN UNION LEAGUE.

Batley	13	Hull	11
Bradford Northern	18	St. Helens Recreation	10
Castleford	26	Pontypridd	6
Huddersfield	7	Hunslet	14
Hull K. Rovers	14	Swinton	8
Keighley	12	Broughton Rangers	10
Leeds	27	Oldham	11
Leigh	6	Dewsbury	3
Salford	0	Rochdale Hornets	8
St. Helens	21	Featherstone Rovers	7
Wakefield Trinity	18	Halifax	3
Warrington	11	Barrow	15
Wigan Highfield	3	Wigan	10
York	14	Bramley	2

NORTHERN UNION COUNTY MATCH.

Cumberland	37	Lancashire	[illegible]

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ASSOCIATION.

LEAGUE LEADERS SURVIVE.

BOHEMIANS AND ROVERS STILL UNBEATEN.

BELFAST CELTIC SCORE FREELY.

With half-a-dozen matches played Bohemians and Shamrock Rovers are running a neck and neck race for the championship of the Free State League. Neither has lost a match, whereas the amateurs dropped only one point, as the result of a drawn game, the Milltown club figured in two undecided matches, while they have also the worse of the goal averages. The leading division is composed thus:—

	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Ps.
Bohemians	6	5	0	1	22	4	11
Shamrock Rovers	6	4	0	2	15	5	10
Dundalk	6	4	1	1	22	12	9
Shelbourne	6	4	2	0	23	8	8
James's Gate	6	2	2	2	10	12	6
Fordsons	6	2	2	2	10	12	6

THE RESULTS.

FREE STATE LEAGUE.

	Goals.		Goals.
Bohemians	5	St. James's Gate	1
Shelbourne	7	Jacobs	0
Shamrock Rovers	3	Athlone	1
Fordsons	1	Brideville	1
Dundalk	7	Bray Unknowns	3

IRISH LEAGUE.

Celtic	6	Glentoran	2
Linfield	0	Distillery	0
Larne	2	Newry Town	0
Glenavon	3	Barn	3
Portadown	4	Bangor	2
Ards	2	Cliftonville	0
Queen's Island	3	Coleraine	3

LEINSTER SENIOR LEAGUE.

Bohemians B	3	St. James's Gate B	2
Edenville	2	Frankfort	2
Vickers	3	St. Mary's	1
Bendigo	2	B.S.U.	3
Drumcondra	2	Shelbourne B	1

DUNDALK CREEPING UP.
A feature of the competition so far has been the success of the Dundalk team, who, on last Saturday, inflicted a heavy reverse on Bray Unknowns, who, at home, in a brisk scoring game, were beaten 7-3. The points gave a big lift to the Dundalk team, who are now only two points behind the leaders. In the first half of Saturday's match there was very little between the teams, the score at the interval being two-all, but the superiority in ball control which the visitors displayed up to then became more pronounced as the game advanced. Carroll was the most finished of the Dundalk forwards and registered three fine goals, the other two being scored by Mathieson.

SEVEN FOR SHELBOURNE.
The Shelbourne vanguard was also in form at Shelbourne Park, where the defence of Jacobs were so decisively outplayed that it fell seven times. Throughout the Shelbourne vanguard always had the measure of a weak back division, but Collins kept a splendid goal for the losers. Robinson, McIlvenny (2) and McCleery gave Shelbourne a four-goal lead at half-time. Then the result was a foregone conclusion, but there was no slackening in the Shelbourne attack and McMillan, Clarke and McCleery scored.

ATHLONE LOSE AT MILLTOWN.
Shamrock Rovers maintained their unbeaten record in the match with Athlone at Milltown. The score was 3-1, but the margin would have been more pronounced had not the visiting team been so well served in goal by Kane, whose saving was one of the features. In the first half Athlone held their own and were on level terms at the change of ends, but their steadiness was not maintained, and the Rovers' forwards had a good deal the better of it thereafter.

Brideville brought back a point from Cork, and may be said to have done splendidly in playing Fordson's to a goal draw after being led at the interval.

BOHEMIANS' STRONG FINISH.
Expectations were not realised when St. James's Gate and Bohemians met at Phibsborough, the Dalymount side winning rather easily by 5 goals to 1 in a game which at one period promised to be more evenly contested. The loss of Duncan to the St. James's Gate side, after the interval, was serious, for the team in the closing period never got together, the defence being scrappy.

For the greater part of the opening half the Brewery side were well in the picture, but the accurate placing of their half-backs was not utilised in the goal area, the inside forwards following up badly and being uncertain in taking their passes. The fast footwork of Bohemians was usually well countered by both McKay and Heaney, but Bermingham, on the Bohemians' right wing, frequently held too many guns for Behan, and it was from his side that most danger came.

Faulty kicking let the visitors' defence down; Clarke and Murphy made many mistakes. The disadvantage in weight was made up for by the Bohemian forwards by their mobility. White, at centre forward, was always worrying the backs, and though he missed many good passes he distributed the play well, and kept the St. James's defence busy, particularly in the closing half, when the absence of Duncan was most felt.

The outstanding feature was the fine play of Bohemians' half-backs, McIlroy and McMahon exhibiting sound judgment, the latter's long passing down the centre being most effective, while Bermingham responded smartly. Gill, on the left, was not so successful, and repeatedly failed to take the ball on the run, while he made the mistake of trying to score from impossible angles.

It was an evenly contested game up to the interval, and though at that stage Bohemians led by a goal they were lucky. In the closing half their half-backs dominated the play, and keeping the attack in St. James's Gate end, the home forwards took full advantage of the shortcomings of the opposition, who were out-played.

LARNE LEADS DISTILLERY.
Although still unbeaten, Linfield, by playing a scoreless draw with Distillery, dropped into second place in the Irish League table, the leadership going to Larne, who disposed of Newry Town. Portadown won at Bangor, and are third, followed by Celtic, who defeated Glentoran by 6-2. Coleraine, on their first visit to Belfast this season, drew with Queen's Island, for whom McBride performed the "hat trick." Bambrick (Linfield), in the match against Distillery, failed to score for the first time this season.

CUP-HOLDERS EXTENDED.
The meeting of Shelbourne and Drumcondra at the latter's ground provided a good game in the Leinster League yesterday, when the home side secured the points by the odd goal of three in a game which was more robust than scientific, a player of each side being ordered off in the second half.

It was an even game in the opening half, but the more skilful combination and placing of Shelbourne gave them a slight advantage. Their lead of a goal to nothing at the interval was a fair reflex of the run of the play to that point. In this period the home forwards did not pull together, and there was little effort by the inside forwards to avail of smart wing play by Murray, on the left. The half-backs also were at fault at times. Grace, at centre half-back, made openings, but the forwards were slow and inclined to play too close. Shelbourne favoured a more open game and profited by it. The home forwards played better together in the second half, while the Shelbourne backs showed a lack of anticipation, and kicked recklessly. McCartney equalised the score early after the interval, following a smart sprint and centre by Murray, on the left, and he gained the lead some minutes later with a hard drive from ten yards, after Walsh had saved a couple of hard shots. From this on the game was more of a scramble, and though Drumcondra always had the better of the exchanges, Shelbourne missed a couple of chances.

ENGLISH LEAGUE—I.

	Goals.		Goals.
Aston Villa	1	Bury	0
Blackburn Rovers	4	Birmingham	4
Bolton Wanderers	0	Middlesbrough	1
Cardiff City	3	Newcastle United	0
Derby County	4	Arsenal	0
Everton	2	Huddersfield Town	2
Manchester United	3	Tottenham Hotspur	0
Portsmouth	3	Leicester City	0
Sheffield United	1	Sheffield Wednesday	1
West Ham United	5	Liverpool	1
Sunderland	2	Burnley	3

ENGLISH LEAGUE—II.

Barnsley	4	Clapton Orient	2
Blackpool	6	Bristol City	2
Chelsea	2	West Brom. Albion	1
Grimsby Town	2	Southampton	0
Leeds United	2	Hull City	0
Notts Forest	4	Manchester City	5
Oldham Athletic	0	Notts County	0
Port Vale	2	Swansea Town	0
Reading	3	Stoke City	1
South Shields	2	Preston North End	3
Wolverhampton W.	2	Fulham	1

ENGLISH LEAGUE—III. (SOUTH)

Brentford	6	Millwall	1
Bournemouth	2	Crystal Palace	2
Brighton and Hove A.	0	Exeter City	2
Charlton Athletic	1	Queen's P. Rangers	2
Merthyr Town	3	Coventry City	2
Northampton Town	4	Norwich City	0
Plymouth Argyle	8	Newport County	0
Southend United	1	Torquay United	4
Walsall	7	Gillingham	0
Watford	1	Luton Town	0

Bristol Rovers v. Swindon Town—off.

ENGLISH LEAGUE—III. (NORTH).

Ashington	1	Accrington Stanley	2
Barrow	2	Wrexham	1
Bradford City	3	New Brighton	0
Crewe Alexandra	4	Hartlepools United	0
Darlington	1	Wigan Borough	0
Doncaster Rovers	2	Rotherham United	1
Halifax Town	2	Lincoln City	1
Nelson	3	Durham City	1
Rochdale	5	Southport	0
Stockport County	4	Chesterfield	2
Tranmere Rovers	3	Bradford	2

SCOTTISH LEAGUE—I.

Aberdeen	2	Falkirk	1
Airdrieonians	4	Dundee	1
Raith Rovers	1	Dunfermline Athletic	2
Celtic	3	Clyde	0
Cowdenbeath	2	Queen's Park	0
Hearts	1	Raith Rovers	6
Motherwell	1	Rangers	2
Partick Thistle	3	Hamilton	2
St. Johnstone	1	Kilmarnock	1
St. Mirren	3	Hibernians	2

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BRAY—To Let, furnished Flat, four apartments; moderate.—Miss Archer, 1 Victoria terrace. 22 B

BRAY—Nice Rooms (Furnished) in beautifully situated house; cheap for winter.—387, Irish Times Branch Office, Bray. 22 D

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ENNISKERRY—Furnished 3 roomed Flat, or Let separately; every convenience; moderate.—Dundas, Clonlea. 21 A

FLAT, Furnished or partly, newly decorated, all modern conveniences; near tram, train, 'bus; Kingstown.—K 1642, this office. 21 A

FLAT to Let, 17 Clarinda Park, East, Kingstown, 4 large rooms, 1 fitted as kitchenette, geyser, gas stove, sink, etc.; also own bathroom and separate w.c.; £75, quarter 20th October to 20th January at reduced rate. Apply Thompson, 8 Westmoreland street. 21 A

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CHINA and Japan—The "Irish Times" Map, in Colours, now on Sale, price 6d., post free 8d., from Head Office 31 Westmoreland street, Dublin, and Branch Office, 33 Marlborough street, Cork, and 139 Royal avenue, Belfast. T

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